

# 140 DIE IN OMAHA TORNADO

## MURDER IN PLAN LAWS TO BENEFIT JAPANESE COLONY

Bitter Feud Between S. Yoshida and G. Tominaga Ends in Midnight Killing

The Latter, With Revolver in Hand, Caught by Policeman Smith in Doorway

BUTTER feeling between two Japanese, both members of the Japanese American Association, resulted last night in the murder of S. Yoshida, a Japanese interpreter living at 327 Sixth street, following a meeting in Hamilton Hall of the organization. G. Tominaga, a contractor living at 525 Harrison street, was captured by Patrolman A. B. Smith within five minutes after the murder, and is being held pending the filing of a charge against him. Tominaga was found crouching in a doorway at 529 Twelfth street, the smoking 38-caliber revolver with which the killing had been committed, still grasped in his hand.

Yoshida, who has been prominent in the Oakland Japanese colony for several years, was shot through the spine from behind by his assailant. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where Dr. A. C. Smith and Dr. G. G. Reine probed for the bullet, and found that the lower portion of the body had been paralyzed by the wound. Yoshida was removed to the Providence Hospital, where he died at an early hour this morning. Yoshida, a Japanese, had been in the city for some time, and had gained considerable prominence in the community.

### ASSAILANT IDENTIFIED.

"He was a bad man and a gambler," declared Yoshida to the police, who stood beside the bed. "He had threatened my life, but I don't know how he got into my house. He was a bad man. I know I am going to die, and I say that he shot me and he should suffer for my death."

The shooting followed a heated meeting of the Japanese American Association, held at Hamilton Hall last night. Patrolman A. B. Smith, who was detailed to keep order at the meeting, declares that Yoshida was on his feet several times and that he made an impassioned address and a plea that the objectionable members of the organization should not receive the support or aid of those who were respected in the community.

The meeting adjourned about midnight, and Smith, after reporting off duty, started to walk home, but he was followed by a group of Japanese who were walking home with Yoshida.

Suddenly he heard angry words, and a moment later a shot rang out. Smith

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## Held Up, Robbed of \$233 and Beaten

Man Found Unconscious in Gutter Tells of Robbery and Assault.

Michael Ehrman, 518 Broadway, was found lying unconscious in the gutter in Castro street, between Ninth and Twelfth, at an early hour this morning, and on being revived at the Receiving Hospital he gave an account of having been held up and robbed of jewelry and cash valued at \$233 by two men, who beat him.

R. H. Wade, 2024 Brush street, was on his way home at a late hour last night when he saw a man lying in the gutter. There was blood about the man's head and face, and several bruises showed where he had been struck with some blunt implement. In the gutter, where the body lay, were marks as of a scuffle having taken place there.

The Association of American Advertisers has examined and certified to the circulation of this publication. The figures of circulation are as follows: Circulation for the month of March, 1913, 2340. Circulation for the year ending March 31, 1913, 2340. Whitehall Bldg., N. Y. City.

Tax Association Prepares Amendments to Constitution of State

Charter to Grant More Independent Powers to Cities and Counties Is Aim

Following the line of effort in which the Alameda County Tax Association has been diligently engaged for approximately two years, for the purpose of introducing changes in the systems of county and city government now in operation that will guarantee efficiency and economy in the future administration of their affairs through the agency of charters conferring greater and more independent powers to Alameda county and the incorporated municipalities and than the state constitution now allows, the legislative committee of the charter committee of the association has prepared an amendment to Section 6 of Article XI of the constitution relating to municipal corporations which was introduced in the assembly by Assemblyman William C. Clark on March 17.

If these resolutions are adopted by the Legislature for submission to the people and in turn adopted by them, the constitution as amended will make possible the framing of a charter for Alameda county and altering the several municipal charters whereby an efficient and economical community of interests can be brought about by the transfer by municipal consent to the control of the county government such municipal affairs as at present involve the employment of municipal officers duplicating county officers to perform the same functions, cover precisely the same field of action and produce the same results, and yet reserve to each municipality its present autonomy and absolute control over all other municipal affairs in which it alone is concerned.

The legislative committee consists of Harrison S. Robinson, chairman; Robert M. Fitzgerald, Charles E. Snook, ex-Mayor E. K. Taylor of Alameda and Professor William Carey Jones of the state university.

### SUBMIT REPORT.

Following is the report the committee has submitted to the charter committee of the Tax Association:

"Gentlemen: Your committee on legislation recommends that in order to bring about a condition of affairs that will make possible the county and city government changes toward which the Tax Association is working, the association systematically urge the passage of Constitutional Amendment No. 81, proposed by Mr. William C. Clark. A copy of the proposed amendment is annexed to this report.

"Our arguments as to the passage

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## Government Seizes Smuggled Opium

Confiscation Worth About \$4000 Found Under Interpreter's Stairway.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Successful smuggling has reduced the price of opium in Chinatown from \$55 for a five-ten can to \$7. Concrete evidence of increased importation was found today when customs agents seized thirty-eight tin and twenty-one bladder valued at between \$2000 and \$5000 under a stairway leading to rooms of Ching Foo, an interpreter employed on the docks of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. Customs agents admit they are mystified.

## Intermountain Case Still Before Court

Supreme Tribunal Fails to Decide on Several Important Matters.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States did not include the Intermountain case, the States' rates cases or any other big cases before the court.

## BILL TO AID HOTEL IS FAVORED

Important Oakland Enterprise Receives Support From State Legislators

Hearing on Claremont Hotel Dry Zone Bill Is Scheduled for Thursday

SACRAMENTO, March 24.—The first public hearing on Assemblyman Ferguson's bill, No. 1620, which is designed primarily to extend the privilege of serving liquor to guests at the Hotel Claremont, Oakland, a \$1,500,000 investment, now nearing completion, will be held before the Assembly committee on public morals next Thursday. Edward Enns, representing the Hotel Claremont interests, is slated to appear before the committee on behalf of the bill. Legislative action is required on the measure because through an error in the survey the structure was erected 176 feet within the one-mile dry zone about the State University at Berkeley.

Senator Tyrrell, chairman of the Alameda county legislative delegation, went squarely on record yesterday as being in favor of extending the privilege to the hotel. He stated that he believed that at least nine of the twelve members of the delegation would vote and work for the measure. He feels, however, that certain modifications will be necessary to secure its passage, although the sentiment among the legislators seems to be growing daily that such a valuable asset to the State as the Hotel Claremont promises to become should be protected.

The condition that exists in prohibition localities in Southern California, where tourist hotels are situated, is being cited constantly as argument in favor of lifting the Hotel Claremont from under the "dry zone" ban about the university.

### HOTEL ASSOCIATION SUPPORTER.

While not on record, it is understood that the members of the State Hotel Men's Association, who cater to tourist patronage, are urging legislators to vote for the Ferguson bill. An active member of the Hotel Men's Association, who is at the capital on other legislative matters, stated yesterday that municipal and county officials in Southern California had been forced to the conclusion, through business conditions, that the tourist hotels, whether located in "dry" localities or not, had to be protected for the general welfare and that where it had become necessary practically every municipality or locality had made special provisions or adopted regulations to permit the serving of liquor to guests in the hotels.

### CIVIC BODIES HELP.

Alameda county legislators who are interested in protecting the Hotel Claremont solely as a business investment, but who have not committed themselves on a deeper regulation, say they will make an effort to have a strong delegation from the Alameda County Chamber of Commerce and representatives from other civic and commercial organizations appear before the Assembly public morals committee.

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## Assembly Passes Bill Putting Ban on Poker

Opponents Declare It Would Stop Card Playing for Prizes.

SACRAMENTO, March 24.—The lower house today passed Assemblyman Gull's measure adding draw poker to the list of gambling games proscribed in California, after considerable discussion, in which several members objected, because the bill, it is said, would stop card playing for prizes, and others because the minimum fine of \$100, they feared, would make it impossible to obtain convictions in many cases. Assemblyman Schmitt of San Francisco moved the reconsideration of the bill, and it will come up again tomorrow.

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(Sanborn Gauge)	
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Season to date	11.75
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## JOS F. CARLSTON CRITICALLY ILL

### BANKER UNDERGOES OPERATION



JOSEPH F. CARLSTON, PRESIDENT OF THE CENTRAL NATIONAL AND SAVINGS BANKS OF THIS CITY, WHO IS CRITICALLY ILL.

## Attacked by Acute Appendicitis, Well-Known Oaklander Taken to Providence Hospital

Joseph F. Carlston, president of the Central National and Savings banks of this city, is critically ill at Providence hospital as a result of an operation for acute appendicitis, performed yesterday at noon.

Carlston has not been well for several days and has been under the care of his physician, Dr. O. D. Hamlin. Yesterday his condition took a serious turn and it was found necessary to remove him from his home at 232 Thirteenth street to the hospital.

Carlston is suffering from acute appendicitis. When he was operated upon it was found that his condition was very serious. This morning he is resting easily in the hospital. The physician in charge announces that the banker's condition today is exceedingly critical.

Carlston is one of the most popular business men in Oakland. Some years ago he came to this city to take charge of the Central National bank as manager, succeeding W. G. Palmanteer, whose illness caused him to retire from active business. Prior to his coming to this city Carlston was president of the bank at Merced, where he was a successful business man. There is probably not a business man in Oakland who has more sincere friends than Joseph F. Carlston. Today hundreds of his friends are seeking information as to his condition.

## Sixteen Firemen Under Ruins in \$500,000 Fire

BALTIMORE, Md., March 24.—Fire this morning in the plant of the Union abattoir, in the extreme southwestern section of the city, has caused a loss of about \$500,000. Sixteen firemen were caught under a falling wall. Eleven, more or less seriously hurt, were dragged out by their companions, but it is feared that the other five have lost their lives.

## President Eliot Declines English Ambassadorship

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Official announcement was made at the White House today that former President Eliot of Harvard has declined President Wilson's offer to be ambassador to Great Britain. Eliot wifed his thanks, but said he thought he could be of more service to his country at home, working in a familiar field, than abroad.

## PATH OF STORM THROUGH CITY IS EIGHT MILES LONG

Death and Damage Over Big Area Appalling; 250 Inhabitants Injured; Property Loss Estimated at Over \$2,000,000

Fires Break Out in Wreckage of Buildings, Adding to Horrors of Disaster; State Militia Called Out by Governor to Prevent the Looting of Ruins

OMAHA, Neb., March 24.—More than 100 killed, twice that number badly injured and hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property destroyed, briefly tells the story of the tornado which swept through Omaha and its suburbs at 6 o'clock last evening in an almost straight path from four to six blocks wide and eight miles long. It was by far the most appalling catastrophe that ever has visited Omaha.

An estimate at 3 o'clock this afternoon gives the death list from last night's storm at 140 with 240 injured.

Throughout the stricken districts the streets are filled with masses of debris from wrecked houses and uprooted trees and tangled electric wires, making street car service impossible, wagon and automobile travel almost so, and offering serious obstacles to pedestrians.

The list of known dead, although already a long one, is believed by those who have been over a good part of the devastated territory to be but a beginning.

Mayors of cities in all parts of the country have telegraphed offers of assistance.

### COUNCIL BLUFFS STRICKEN.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, March 24.—Reports late today from Iowa indicate that the life and property loss there will be far greater than at first indicated. Meager reports from Mills county, immediately to the south of Pottawatomie, are that deaths are reported from every town in the county reached by telephone. A large number of towns are yet to be heard from.

Eastern Council Bluffs suffered heavily. Twelve or fifteen houses were leveled and a dozen deaths have been reported to date.

### 1500 HOUSES DESTROYED.

CHICAGO, March 24.—An official dispatch to the Burlington road from Omaha, received this afternoon, placed the number of buildings destroyed there at 1500, and states that six fires, four of them under control, were raging in Omaha as the report was filed.

The Western Union Telegraph Company has been advised by its Omaha office that the damage from the tornado will amount to more than \$2,000,000.

### MOBILIZE MILITIA.

OMAHA, March 24.—(By telephone to Lincoln).—After visiting the scene of the storm this morning Governor Moorehead issued orders for the mobilization of three companies of militia from outside the city. The local companies already are at work assisting the police and regular soldiers from Fort Crook, together with the city firemen, in the work of rescue. Three hundred regulars were called out.

### BUILDINGS THROWN OPEN.

As soon as the enormity of the disaster was understood a relief fund was started. Within an hour thousands had been contributed. Public buildings were thrown open for the sufferers.

## Cold Wave Follows State Rain Storm

Mercury Reaches 36 Degrees in Sacramento Valley; the Storm Left State.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Northern California was treated to a cold snap following yesterday's rain and the mercury dropped to 36 degrees in the Sacramento valley and to 40 degrees in the cities about the bay. The rain continued in Southern California until late in the morning when the storm passed out of the State. The prospects for the next day are for clear weather and a high temperature. The rain has done a great amount of good and this morning's coating of frost is harmless.

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**SHOW HELD UP BY ATTACHMENT**

**Settlement at Box Office of Macdonough Delays Performance.**

As the result of an attempt to levy an attachment on Charles Muehlman's share in Max Dill's production of "Holly Tolly," last night, the Macdonough production was held up three-quarters of an hour. The audience waited itself up into a state of impatience that expressed itself in hisses, and C. William Kolb made a speech. Kolb's reception was frigid.  
L. J. Lork, manager of Idora Park, acting for Herbert Bashford, Francis Valentine Co., California Photo Engraving Co. and Idora, last night levied the attachment to satisfy a judgment of \$1100 obtained against Muehlman.  
Muehlman, who is manager of the Dill show, became indignant to the company, and after a three-quarters of an hour fight six months ago, when he attempted to finance a troupe in which Marjorie Rambeau appeared, by buying scenery, properties and other things and failing to pay for them. The show broke up, and the company obtained judgment in the Superior Court.  
Muehlman is said to own a fourth interest in "Holly Tolly," but denies it. It was his supposed share in the receipts which was attached.

**GLASCOCK RESIDENCE GOES TO WRECKERS**

The old Glascock residence, in former years the setting of many a brilliant social event, now at the corner of Fifth and Alice streets, but in early days before it was moved at the southwest corner of Fifth and Harrison streets, is being torn down. Many of Oakland's oldest residents recall the days when Judge and Mrs. Glascock entertained the elite of both sides of the bay in the once fine residence and their beautiful daughter, Miss Mollie Glascock, who was a society favorite. The building is over fifty-five years old.

**WOMAN TO SPEAK**

BERKELEY, Cal., March 24.—Mrs. Philip Snowden of England will speak at the High School Auditorium in Berkeley, on tomorrow evening, March 25.

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**CITIES OF NATION OFFER AID TO STRICKEN CITY OF OMAHA**

**Militia Assists in Preserving Order**

**Hospitals of Three Cities Filled With Injured**

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hospitals and included two of the fashionable residence sections known as West Park and Bemis Park. Practically all the buildings in this district were demolished. According to the best available figures at least 30 were killed in the collision at Carter lake, near the Missouri river, north of the city. To add to the horrors were broke out in many of the wrecked buildings. The streets, littered with debris, were practically impassable for the fire apparatus and the fires burned themselves out except in instances where the flames were brought under control by volunteer "bucket brigades." The second storm swept across the Missouri river about 6:20 p. m., doing considerable damage in Council Bluffs. The Iowa dead are: Council Bluffs—James R. Rice and wife; Margaret Rice, three months old; John Schulte and wife, Mrs. William Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson; three months old Johnson child missing. Mrs. Joseph Swinderman. Glenwood—Mrs. Edward Lambert; Desha Lambert, 12 years old; Clyde Merritt, 22 years old; James McDonnell and daughter-in-law. After the pasting of the storm nothing could be found at Glenwood of Mrs. Lambert. After five hours of searching the body was found a quarter of a mile from the house in a field. The property will be insured. Loss to farm buildings in Pottawatomie and Mills county alone will reach close to the million mark.

**Fires Add to Havoc Wrought by Tornado**

LINCOLN, March 24.—Property damage at Omaha will mount into hundreds of thousands. The tornado swept in from the southwest and zigzagged to the northeast over the residence portion of the city, leaving in its wake destruction and carnage from four to six blocks wide. Fires sprang up all over this area so thickly that firemen were unable to respond to the many alarms and houses were allowed to burn to the ground. The police were unable properly to protect the stricken district and soldiers from Fort Omaha were called out. The town was practically under martial law. SUBURBS WIPED OUT. The villages of Benson, Dundee and Florence, suburbs of Omaha, were practically wiped out. Only the fact that a heavy rain fell for half an hour saved the mass of wreckage and many dead bodies from being burned. The Webster-street telephone station, which contained a score of girls, was one of the buildings struck and in a moment it was twisted and torn. Several girls were killed outright and many others were injured. Mayor Dahlman of Omaha wired Governor Moorehead shortly after midnight for militia to prevent looting of residences and robbing of bodies. The governor left on a special train shortly after 2 o'clock. Omaha's suburbs suffered heavily. Ralston, southwest of Omaha, was razed to the ground and a half-score or more are dead. East Omaha, lashed by the tail of the twister, reported houses demolished, but no lives lost. COUNCIL BLUFFS SUFFERS. Council Bluffs, Iowa, suffered nine dead, a score or more injured and great damage to property. The worst damage was done and the largest toll of lives was exacted

**LIST OF DEAD AND INJURED INCOMPLETE**

OMAHA, March 24.—Only a few names of the known dead and injured are available. The following is a partial list of the identified dead at Omaha:

- WILLIAM FISHER, MABEL McBRIDE, NELS LARSEN, G. F. COPELEY, WALTER PETERSON, SAM ENGELER, F. B. HARRIS, MARY HARRIS, T. B. NOIRIS, BENJAMIN BARNES, MRS. NAYMAN, MRS. SULLIVAN, MRS. E. F. FITZGERALD, JEAN B. BROOKS, HENRY BLAUVELT, A. B. STANLEY.
- The injured were:
- MISS DAVIS, dangerously injured. GEORGE DUNCAN, fatally hurt. MRS. E. R. VAN HORN, unconscious from blow head. MRS. EDWARD BAGGOT, Chicago; badly hurt. MRS. BEN GALLAGHER, dangerously hurt. MRS. McBRIDE, injured by flying bricks. D. DAGITT, cut by flying glass. M. A. HALL, injured by flying planks. MRS. J. H. LAVIDGE AND BABY, mortally injured. MRS. E. C. SELLS, injured internally. MRS. GRIFFIN, serious internal injuries. MRS. C. C. SWAN, badly cut. THOS. McPHERSON, internally injured. MRS. D. CRUTCHERS, ISABEL DOUGLASS, KENNETH PATTERSON, ANSON H. BIGELOW, C. E. BIGELOW, FRANK GUY, Waterloo, Neb. MRS. FRANK GUY.
- The known dead at Yutan, Neb., are:
- LITTLE SON OF FRED HEYN, HENRY SCHEELE, BABY OF MR. AND MRS. FRED OHM. A. R. HAMMOND, MRS. A. R. HAMMOND AND LITTLE SON. HERMAN STARMAN, postmaster, MRS. GILSTER, MRS. WILL BARCOCK AND LITTLE DAUGHTER, MRS. W. H. STEENBAUGH AND BABY.
- The dead at Council Bluffs:
- MRS. WILLIAM POOLE, J. J. RICE, MRS. J. J. RICE, MR. SCHOOLS AND WIFE.
- The dead at Ralston:
- H. E. SAID, MRS. H. E. SAID, MARY MORAN.
- W. M. SCHULTZ, Elkhorn, Neb. FRANK BEIL, Elkhorn, Neb. MRS. LORRAINE CURTIS, Elkhorn, Neb. CLARENCE CADDY, may die. GEO. ANDERSON, may die. JACK CRIBBEN, may die. MRS. O. F. FICH, may die. MRS. JOHNSON AND MOTHER, may die. L. WICKS, lower limbs paralyzed. E. R. WICKS, MRS. M. HENSMAN, MRS. LOTTIE MAIN, Loveland, Colo. PAT CARROLL, JOE COOPER, MRS. N. W. DANIEL, MRS. H. H. HARRIS, FRANK GRIFFIN, MRS. W. W. SLABAUGH, MR. NEWMAN of Dunbar. MRS. E. HOUSTON, 91 years old, will die. G. L. HAMMER, MRS. G. L. HAMMER, MRS. W. F. TUNNEY, J. D. HOGG, MRS. J. SIMON.
- MRS. R. R. VANDOVAN, MRS. ELDA NEWMAN, MRS. EDNA HULLING, MRS. DAVIS, BABY THELMA, 2 years old, BABY ALITA, 3 years old, missing. SAM RILEY, 45 years old, will die. MISS CORAL LORRIS, MRS. B. DAVIS, C. F. COPELEY, J. D. HOGG, MRS. W. H. AND SISTER, J. B. NICHOLS.
- MRS. R. NORGAARD, BENJ. BENNINGHOFF, Dutch Hollow. MRS. EDITH KIMBALL, Winnipeg, Canada. FRANCES KIMBALL, 2 years old.

**"House and Feed the Needy," Mayor's Plea**

OMAHA, March 24.—Mayor Dahlman today issued this proclamation: "To the People of Omaha: A great calamity has struck our city. Many lives and homes have been destroyed. The authorities, with the assistance of Major C. F. Hartman of Fort Omaha, with 200 troops, are doing all that can be done in guarding property and rescuing the dead and injured. "It will be necessary to patrol the city, which extends over several miles of territory, until matters can be adjusted, so that property may be protected and men have an opportunity to clear the wreckage. No one will be allowed inside the lines unless properly authorized, so I call upon the public generally to be patient. "Thousands of volunteers are doing all they can. I appeal to the people in this hour of distress to house and feed all the needy until other arrangements can be made. (Signed) "JAMES C. DAHLMAN, Mayor."

**24 Identified Dead At Terre Haute**

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 24.—Twenty-four victims of a tornado which struck the southern part of Terre Haute and Vigo county last night, had been identified today and more than 75 injured were being cared for in improvised hospitals. Several more bodies are expected to be found when the rain and fog clear away. At the request of Mayor Gerhardt, Governor Ralston today ordered out Company B of the Indiana National Guard to patrol the devastated district and help in the rescue work. A fine property loss probably will exceed \$500,000. In addition to destroying about 300 houses in the south portion of Terre Haute, Fairlie, a small town six miles south, was devastated, and the intervening territory was almost completely leveled. The injured number at least 300 and many of these are in a serious condition. The hospitals are filled to their capacity. The partial list of known dead are: Moses Carter, wife and baby; Mrs. Fred King and child; Charles Davis, Jeff Fox, Neal Yeager, Chamia Edwards, 8 years old, James Brown, J. B. Houck, Mrs. Tully, Miss Bell, 12 years old; Rogers, South Second street; Courtney; unidentified woman.

BODIES FOUND CRUSHED. The bodies of Carter and his wife, the first recovered, were found under the crushed roof of their home, while the mangled body of their child was found fifteen feet away. Mrs. Flora Wood, 2424 S. Third street, was found unconscious 70 feet from her home. She had a small baby clasped in her arms. They were carried into the Third United Brethren Church, which, together with the Greenwood school, had been converted into a temporary hospital and given medical attention. On Voorhees street, between Third

**Fifteen Killed in Town Near Omaha**

YUTAN, Neb., March 24.—Ten persons are known to be dead and it is believed that the list will reach fifteen at Yutan, where the tornado which later did much havoc at Omaha, at first began its destructive work. The storm broke so suddenly there was no time to seek safety in the cellars.

**Edna Ferber's plucky little heroine, Emma McChesney, again makes good in the American Magazine for April; good for Emma--good for Edna--good for you**

**One Killed, 87 Hurt in Chicago Storm**

CHICAGO, March 24.—One person is known to have been killed and 87 injured, for the most part slightly, in a severe wind and rain storm which broke over the city early this morning. Fully a score of houses were blown over and others were moved from their foundations. Roofs and porches were torn off and in several instances lightning set fire to the structure. The one death reported was that of Orville Sloome, a 12-year-old boy, who was crushed to death. His home was blown against an adjoining structure and collapsed. At 2:30 a. m. every available fire apparatus in the north and west side of the city had been called out to extinguish fires which broke out in business blocks and dwellings partly wrecked by the storm. Reports of missing persons who had either fled from fires or were believed to have perished in ruins continued to pour into police stations until late today, but it was thought the fatalities, if any, were few. Electric lights in large areas were out, leaving many in total darkness when they sought in the streets. Physicians and ambulances were busy all night responding to calls.

**Galesburg, Ills., Is Hit by Tornado**

GALESBURG, Ill., March 24.—A tornado struck Galesburg, Ill., this morning. Several dwelling houses were demolished, but no one was injured. The L. Hotel was struck by lightning, but none of the guests was injured.

**Tenders Services of National Red Cross**

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Ernest P. Bicknell, director of the American Red Cross Society, has telegraphed to Governor Moorehead of Nebraska tendering the service of the Red Cross. Bicknell also wired to other towns where the storm caused loss of life. He planned to send relief trains to Omaha with nurses, doctors and supplies as soon as possible. Surgeon-General Blue of the public health service has ordered Surgeon J. O. Cobb of the United States Marine hospital, Chicago, to hold himself in readiness to go to Omaha to assist the health authorities in preventing the spread of disease which might follow the disaster there.

**Relief Is Pledged by Oakland and S. F.**

Mayor Frank K. Mott telegraphed a message of sympathy to Omaha this morning, offering assistance if Oakland could help in any way. The telegram follows: "I am deeply distressed at the news received from Nebraska. Can we help in any way?"

Oakland, Cal., March 24, 1913. Mayor Dahlman, Omaha, Nebraska: The City of Oakland deeply sympathizes with you in your affliction. If we can be of any assistance, call upon us. FRANK K. MOTT, Mayor of the City of Oakland.

**Village Demolished; Three Inhabitants Die**

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 24.—The village of Flag Spring, north of here, was practically demolished and three of its inhabitants killed by a tornado last night, according to advices reaching here today.

**JAPANESE FEUD ENDS IN MURDER**

Interpreted Shot by Contractor After Stormy Meeting in Hamilton Hall.

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turned and ran back to Thirteenth and Clay streets, where he found the body of Yoshida lying in the gutter. Calling to several people to notify the police and call for the ambulance, Smith started on the run in the direction taken by Tomimaga.

When Smith rounded the corner of Clay and Twelfth, Tomimaga had disappeared. Smith was met by Harry Ring, 1115 West street, in Twelfth street. "Come on with me," called Ring. "He ran in a doorway over there." The two ran to 329 Twelfth street, where they found Tomimaga crouching in a dark doorway, revolver in hand. TOMINAGA ARRESTED. "Drop that gun," shouted Smith, "or I'll shoot." The patrolman leveled his weapon at the crouching figure. There was a moment of hesitation, and then the revolver slipped to the pavement from Tomimaga's fingers. Smith placed the handcuffs upon him and rushed him to the police station. Tomimaga admitted shooting Yoshida, but refused to explain the cause of the trouble.

The shooting was witnessed by H. Soyegima, a Japanese newspaper writer of 949 Clay street, San Francisco; J. Oaki and K. Yasukochi, both of 438 Waiworth street, and by Harry Ring. The three Japanese were with Yoshida.

"We were walking down the street talking," said Soyegima. "Tomimaga came up behind us and elbowed two of us out of the way. Then he drew a revolver and placed the weapon in the middle of Yoshida's back. Before any of us could stop him, the shot was fired."

YOSHIDA IN TROUBLE. Yoshida was a member of a company of Japanese who got into trouble some months ago with a number of men forming crews for the Alaska Packers, and the matter was taken to the courts. The testimony was so complicated that the cases were dismissed, but several of his countrymen declared that Yoshida had swindled them and threats of vengeance were made. Captain of Inspectors Lou E. Asnew stated this morning that Yoshida had come to him a week ago and had asked for police protection. "There is a man who has threatened my life," he said. "He has threatened my life a number of times, and I believe he has a revolver. I want him searched." At different times Inspectors Thomas Wood and William Emlah accompanied Yoshida about Oakland, but they failed to find Tomimaga.

The Mother's Favorite. A cough medicine for children should be harmless. It should be pleasant to take. It should be effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is all of this and the mother was taken to the courts for sale at Osgood Bros. Drug Stores. —Advertisement.

**CAINE PREDICTS CITY'S GROWTH**

"Should be Greatest Port on the Coast," Declares Speaker.

J. E. Caine, secretary of the Salt Lake City Commercial Club, who has been the guest here of the Oakland club for the past week, was the guest of honor today at a luncheon held at the Hotel Oakland, when he spoke on the city's future, as deduced by an outsider, and gave practical hints as to making the Commercial Club a success.

President Harmon Bell was toastmaster at the affair, which was informal in nature. The distinguished guest was warm in his praise of Oakland and its business men and predicted a great future for the city if it takes advantage of the natural advantages which the maker of commercial clubs outlined out.

FUTURE AS PORT. Caine said in part: "Oakland ought to be the greatest port on the Pacific coast, and it is not in ten years it will be your fault. It should be a world port, owing to the geographical situation, and if it were made such the greatest witness and jobbing center on the Pacific coast. "Relative to your factories, I am not in favor of subsidizing factories or giving them bonuses to locate in a city. Any factory which has a right to exist should come here owing to the unusual advantages which you have to offer. Of course, the Oakland Commercial Club and other organizations must advertise all of these advantages and keep on advertising them."

MANY GUESTS. The following were those in attendance at the luncheon: Harmon Bell, president Oakland Commercial Club; M. J. Layman, first vice-president; A. S. Lavenson, second vice-president; and Directors Leslie W. Rice, Charles Leonard Smith, W. H. Welby, O. E. Hotte, Charles Heeseman, Charles F. Gorman, Edwin B. Bull, Joseph H. Kling, D. E. Perkins and the following guests: W. E. Gibson, president Chamber of Commerce; Jules Abrahamson, H. C. Taft, J. Y. Eccleston and Frank J. Woodward.

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**Accused Dentist Has His Bonds Increased**

Alleged Member of "National Bunco Syndicate" in Court.

LOS ANGELES, March 24.—Dr. L. O. Wilcoxson, a Pasadena dentist, alleged member of the so-called "national bunco syndicate," who has been arrested twice recently on a grand larceny charge, was taken today before Township Justice Reece, who in-

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## HEARING ON HOTEL BILL TO TAKE PLACE THURSDAY

Legislators Support Measure to Remove Hostelry From Dry Zone

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mittee. They insist that inasmuch as several thousand business men of Oakland and surrounding communities have petitioned for the passage of the measure that this support should be backed up by personal representation, so that the members of the committee may determine the exact interest behind the petition.

### WOULD BENEFIT RANGES.

Assemblyman George Beck of Livermore, who, with Assemblyman W. C. Wall of Stockton, introduced a joint resolution last week memorializing Congress to open up the national reserves in Alameda and San Joaquin counties for the pasturing of sheep and cattle, stated yesterday that, despite favorable weather conditions, the measure would still be urged as an emergency act. The resolution passed the Assembly last Saturday and is expected to receive the approval of the Senate without quibbling. The resolution was introduced at the suggestion of sheep and cattle men who declared that the long drought had caused a lack of feed on the ranges in the Livermore hills and that the stock was suffering. A restricted number of cattle and sheep are allowed to graze each year in the national forest reserves in the different sections of the State and the plea to be forwarded to Congress is to lift the limit entirely during such emergency cases.

### JOINT TEACHERS' BILL.

Because Senator Boynton of Oroville has introduced a measure providing for teachers' pensions Senator Tyrell of Oakland, who is also the author of similar prospective legislation, will probably confer with the Oroville solon tomorrow on the advisability of drafting a joint measure. The adoption of a joint bill in the Senate would also affect companion measures introduced in the Assembly. The Tyrell measure was introduced in the lower house by the late Senator Frank M. Smith of Oakland. Both proposed acts provided for a graduated scale of pensions and differ only in details of application and operation.

### HEARING ON BANK BILL.

The substitute banking bill, over which Senator Tyrell, as chairman of the committee on banking, and Senator Reed, as a member of that committee, have labored ceaselessly since the adjournment of the first half of the 1912 session of the legislature, together with Senators Thompson and Gates, is scheduled for review and public hearing late this afternoon. Representatives of the California Bankers' Association and others are here to go over the measure with the committee.

Senator Tyrell introduced proposed measures during the first session which represented about 30 amendments to the State bank act. The amendments provided virtually for the

## OAKLAND DRUGGIST MAKES A STATEMENT

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## ROCK AND FULTON SEEN IN TRAVESTY

Clever Vaudeville Stars Give Best of Work on New Orpheum Bill.

William Rock and Maud Fulton, in a mood that is happy even for those joyous persons, are giving Orpheum audiences a touch of high art travesty, this week. Rock and Fulton are Mme. Bernhardt and Lou Tellegen as they never were. Which is to say, they are delightfully ridiculous what is near-sublime. Perfect burlesque is that which does not offend and there's naught but for afoot when Miss Fulton becomes Bernhardt.

With Rock as Tellegen they do a scene from Nothing. Their stage settings are nothing, their costumes nothing and their French is less than that. But the ensemble is legitimate cause for more merriment than the Orpheum garden sprouts in a month.

### HAS SERIOUS SIDE.

It is travesty that must be considered in a serious vein too, for in spots Miss Fulton is wonderfully like Bernhardt, with the latter's gestures, her voice and, more than those, her stage features. More than those, her stage features. A dancer discloses a knock and talent that has not found perfect expression in anything she has done before.

The team retain their far-famed originality and grace. Their act is artistic and a well-acting voice. Constructed that a flaw could not be found with a stage manager's microscope.

Musical comes into its own with Mlle. Carmen and H. K. Guerrero behind the footlights. Guerrero with his violin and Mlle. Carmen with a play delightfully and with skill that stands for expert knowledge, perfect technique and depth of expression.

### SMILES AND SINGS.

"The Girl from Milwaukee" is on the bill, a fair being with a rare smile and a sweet voice. The better class of American songs are those she gives you and there's no chance for the next act to proceed until the audience has heard her again and again.

Favorites return with Jean Bedini and Roy Arthur, the former one of the cleverest jugglers in the "game." Arthur supplies the fun, at the same time disclosing the fact that he could juggle if he had the will.

Reed Brothers' capital acrobats: Nita Allen in a number of new songs; Bert Howard and Effie Lawrence, amusing as the "stage manager and the cigar girl"; and new bits of wit from an Edison cinematograph—these, too, are among the very good things on the new bill. It's a corking thing for any kind of weather. And they'll check your grouch at the door.

## MANY NEAR DEATH WHEN TRAINS CRASH

SAUSALITO, March 24.—Prompt action by Motorman John O. English, William Speaker saved half a hundred persons from probable death or serious injuries here yesterday, when Glen Elgin steam train No. 5 met a Pullman-bound train of four coaches and in head-on collision near the northern end limit of the Northwestern Pacific Company, here a mile from the local ferry building. Each train was crowded and running about ten miles an hour at the time of the accident.

Although the force of the impact caused the electric motor to "limp" the steam engine until it stood at an angle of 30 degrees and several cars left the rails, the most serious injury reported was a dislocated finger and lacerated hand by Motorman Orlin, in charge of the Pullman train, and a broken leg by a passenger who was severely shaken and a number were cut by flying glass. Mrs. Emma McMullin of Petaluma was the only woman passenger of the electric—the motor badly damaged of the train—to report an injury. She sustained a bruise on her hip and lacerations of the arms and hands.

Is a bill drawn by him which provides for the control and close supervision of the display of the California Bear flag on all holidays and State occasions from all public buildings. The Bear flag is to be hoisted underneath the Stars and Stripes. This bill was backed by the Senate committee.

On the same committee are Finn, Behan, Gerdes, Regan, Bryant of San Francisco, Breed of Oakland, Lyon and Brown of Los Angeles, giving the large cities that will be most affected by the non-sale of ducks a goodly representation. The opponents of the bill assert that there is a possibility of the bill not even being acted upon favorably by the Senate committee.

TO DISPLAY BEAR FLAG.

The Senate Judiciary committee this afternoon gave favorable action to Senator Hans' bill, No. 745, requiring the display of the California Bear flag on all holidays and State occasions from all public buildings. The Bear flag is to be hoisted underneath the Stars and Stripes. This bill was backed by the Senate committee.

ASSAULT KILLS JURYMAN.

KANSAS CITY, March 24.—C. C. Springer, a juror in the trial of Dr. B. B. Barker, who was found in a street here this morning after the close of the trial, apparently suffering from an assault, died yesterday at a hospital, where he was

## BLOSSOM FESTIVAL MADE BRIGHTER BY RAIN

Downpour Spoils Bunting, But Helps Natural Decorations on Blooming Trees.

Damage to Program More Than Made Up by Benefits to Orchards.

HAYWARD, March 24.—The Blossom Festival events have had to be altered on account of the rain, but all the same the Festival Committee welcome the breakdown in the weather. The stimulus given to blossom growth within the last few days will enable the thousands of visitors an opportunity to see the beautiful orchard at its best. Besides the rainfall will prove of much more value than the money laid out on the carnival.

Thus, despite a general mixup and disorganization of the festival decorations through wind and rain, the committee are satisfied, and are now busy reorganizing the festival arrangements.

The auto polo match, which was to have been played off yesterday, has been postponed until Thursday afternoon. The other matches will be played as originally fixed.

The beauties of Hayward and district will be shown to visitors, and a slight-seeing auto has been placed at their disposal for this purpose.

An interesting sporting event which has just been arranged is a ten mile motorcycle race for the championship of Eden township, which will be held Tuesday. Another new feature will be the pushball meet for boys which will take place Friday, and for which handsome prizes have been offered.

### SATURDAY THE DAY.

Next Saturday will be the principal day of the festival. On that day there will be a floral parade, a baby show, road races, baseball games and auto polo matches. A street social and dancing will be held in the evening. Indeed, dancing will take place every night of the festival, and the committee has arranged band concerts for every evening. The Armory Hall will be the scene of these jollifications, and several hundred couples will participate in the dancing.

"Blossom Park, one of the beauty spots of Hayward, will be visited by the sight-seeing cars. Here the blossoms are out in full bloom.

The baby contest which will finish up next Saturday with a parade, is one of the most attractive features of the festival. The entry promises to be a record one for the district, the cups presented by President Woodrow Wilson and ex-President Roosevelt and Taft acting as a big draw.

The Festival Committee, aided by the Decoration Committee, headed by Mrs. R. Mastick are hard at work redecorating the streets after the damage done to the decorations by the rain and wind.

FERRY BOAT UNDER WAY FOR GOULD ROAD

To accommodate its transcontinental passengers and in anticipation of the establishment of a local ferry service between San Francisco and Oakland, the Western Pacific Railway company is having built at the Moore and Scott shipyards a \$300,000 ferry boat.

It will be completed and ready to be put into commission in 30 days. The boat, it has been proven acceptable, another boat of the same type will be ordered by the Western Pacific and two ferry boats of the same or similar type will be ordered by the San Francisco, Oakland Terminal Railway company for its Auto System service.

## AUTO BANDITS PLY TRADE IN THE SOUTH

LOS ANGELES, March 24.—Two automobile highwaymen for whom the police have been looking and believed to be members of the notorious Chicago gang, made their reappearance in California yesterday, their dark, practical machine disappeared for the last time, dashing down Princeton street. The bandits had stopped and searched six men. They secured about \$30 and a watch and fled from two of the police. In two other instances the bandits secured nothing. What the robbers got from their fifth and sixth victims is not known.

## DOCKS AFTER LONG TRIP.

PORT TOWNSEND, March 24.—Completing a voyage of 21,000 miles, the United States revenue cutter Unalga, arriving from Norfolk, Va., yesterday, the Unalga, which was sent on the east coast to replace the old revenue cutter Rush in Alaskan waters, sailed from Norfolk September 26. Instead of coming around the Horn, the Unalga took the Suez route, stopping at Gibraltar, Malta, Naples, Port Said, Aden, Colombo, Singapore, Manila and Yokohama. At Port Said, Captain R. O. Crisp reported to the American Consul to protect American interests in Turkey because of the arrival of American warships.

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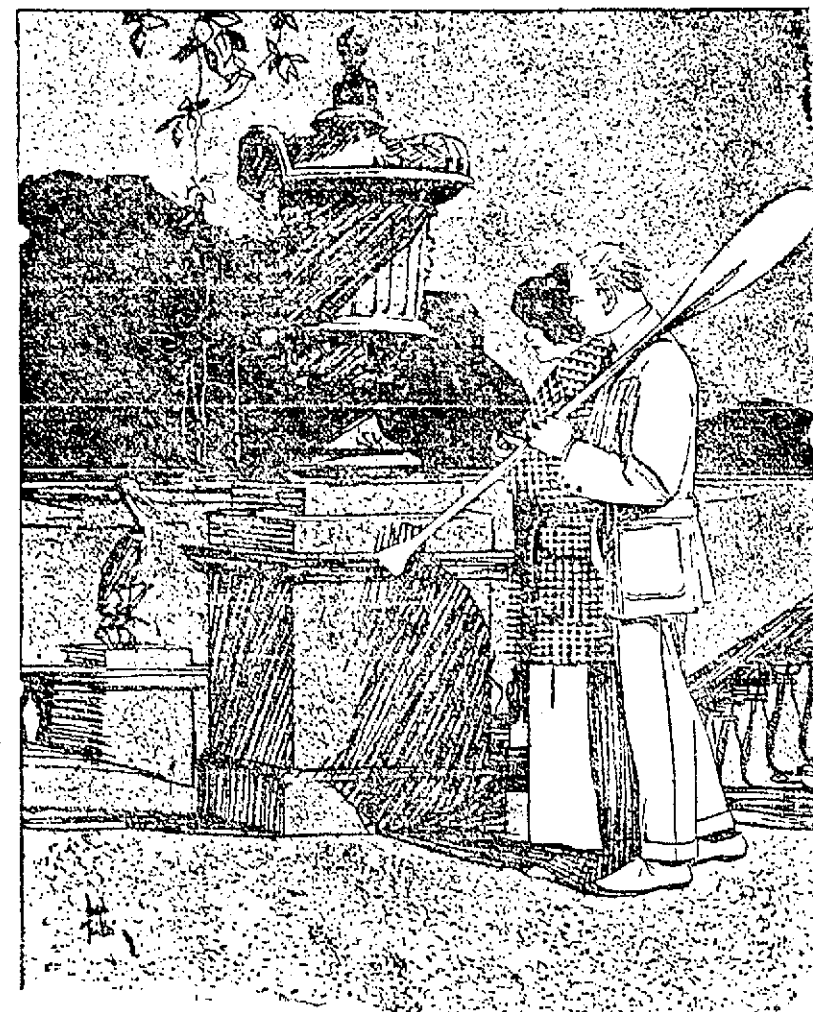
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## SEEKS LAWS TO OBTAIN CHARTER FOR COUNTY

Tax Association Takes Steps to Amend State Constitution

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of the proposed amendment, and the reasons for accomplishing the same, are attached hereto.

### DESIRE AMENDMENT.

"We also recommend that the Association systematically urge the amendment of Section 7 1/2 of Article XI of the constitution in the following particulars:

"(a) Strike out in lines 10 and 11, page 1, the words 'relating to municipalities' and substitute 'relating to cities and towns, which laws may be altered, amended or repealed; and the Legislature may, by general laws, provide for the performance by county officers of certain of the municipal functions of cities and towns so incorporated, whenever a majority of the electors of any such city or town voting at a general or special election shall so determine.

"(b) Strike out in subdivision 4 of the enumeration of matters to be provided for in county charters the following:

"Provided that the provisions of such charters relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors or all other county officers shall be subject to and controlled by general laws."

"(c) For paragraph 4 1/2, line 37, page 7, and lines 1 to 7, page 8, substitute the following paragraph: 'For the assumption and discharge by municipal officers of certain of the municipal functions of the cities and towns within the county, whenever, in the case of cities and towns incorporated under general laws, the discharge by county officers of such municipal functions is authorized by general law, or whenever, in the case of cities and towns organized under Section 8 of this article, the discharge by county officers of such municipal functions is authorized by provisions of the charters, or by amendments thereto, of such cities or towns; and

"(d) Insert between lines 22 and 23, page 8, the following paragraph: 'MAY IMPOSE POWERS. The Legislature may by general laws confer and impose on boards of supervisors and all other county officers powers and duties in addition to those provided by charters under this section.'

"(e) In the third from the last paragraph of the section strike out the words:

"And except that such charter shall not affect the tenure of the office of the elective officers of the county or of any district, township or division thereof, in office at the time such charter goes into effect, and such officers shall continue to hold their respective offices until the term for which they shall have been elected, unless sooner removed in the manner provided by law."

"The foregoing amendments to Section 7 1/2 of Article XI will be found in Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 55, as the same is to be hereafter amended."

"Our arguments concerning the reasons for changes proposed in Section 7 1/2 of Article XI are attached hereto."

Signed by all of the committee, (Committee on Municipalities) Amended

towns by county officers when so determined by popular vote, is to make certain the constitutionality of any law enacted authorizing such a change, and to clear up the doubt regarding the constitutionality of an act of 1895 providing for that purpose. It is, moreover, declared to be in the interest of both economy and efficiency.

The amendment providing for the performance of certain municipal functions by county officers, whenever authorized by general laws or the provisions of a county charter is regarded as of the highest importance and its adoption is, the committee asserts, necessary to make possible the fundamental ideas underlying the current work of the Alameda County Tax Association with reference to county charter, one of the chief thoughts in such being to decrease expense by combining in a workable way certain county functions with corresponding city functions.

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The amendment introduced by the solon from Inyo is aimed at the city of Los Angeles and is intended to restore to that county a large amount in taxes lost annually, because under the present law property owned by cities and counties is exempt from taxation. Alameda is interested in the amendment because of the proposed purchase of the properties of the Spring Valley Water Company by the city and county of San Francisco.

Alameda county received a sum annually in taxes from the Spring Valley properties, said to aggregate between \$50,000 and \$80,000. Under present conditions, should San Francisco acquire the water company's property, it would be exempt from taxation and this amount lost in taxes to the county. It is to safeguard against this impending situation that Alameda is expected to join with Inyo county, which wants to receive taxes for the vast area of land exempted there because it has been acquired by Los Angeles city for water supply purposes.

A strong fight is likely to ensue over the amendment and it is possible that the act will be greatly revised before getting out of committee. It is generally admitted that a "third-rate" amendment is expected to mean that every "municipal affair" city desired to exercise must be specifically claimed in its charter.

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## DRY GOODS FOLK TO VISIT ORPHEUM

Abrahamson's Mutual Benefit Association to Have Theater Party.

The Abrahamson's Mutual Benefit Association, an organization composed of employees of the well known Oakland department store of that name, will entertain tomorrow night at a big theater party to be given at the Orpheum.

The officers of the association in charge of the affair tomorrow night are: E. A. Thelle, president; A. C. Hart, vice-president; Miss Susan Runckel, secretary; Miss Mae White, Miss Agnes Plunkett and Jack Littenstein, trustees. Tickets for the affair may be procured from the president. A large crowd is expected to attend the affair.

**MAN FOUND ASPHYXIATED.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Berton Green, a teamster of 1501 Folson street was found asphyxiated in his room at 9 o'clock this morning. The fact that the keyhole was stuffed, indicates that the man committed suicide. He was about 25 years old.

**The Forty Year Test.**  
An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872. From a small beginning it has grown in favor and popularity until it has attained a world-wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. It not only gives relief—it cures. For sale at Osgood Bros' Drug Store.

## PLANS MATURED FOR SHRINE BALL

Reservations for Tables Being Made; Souvenir Programs for the Women Guests.

Everything is in readiness for the annual ball of Aahmes Temple, Order of the Mystical Shrine, which is to be held in the Hotel Oakland, April 9. This will be the first event of importance to take place after the close of Lent and those that expect to attend are looking forward to the date with keen anticipation. The committee on entertainment has prepared souvenirs of the occasion of an unusual character to be distributed as favors among the women guests and reservations are being made in the grill room by many of the Shriners, where dinners will be held following the dancing.

The official divan of the local temple comprises: F. W. Bilger, potentate; George S. Meredith, chief rabbi; Robert Greig, assistant divan; Dr. J. Loren Peace, high priest and prophet; E. A. Forrester, Oriental guide; J. A. Hill, treasurer; Ed H. Morgan, recorder. The entertainment committee preparing for the ball includes J. R. D. Mackenzie, Charles Chubb, Louis Aber, H. C. Steinbach and Otto Riehl. Patrons and patronesses include: Noble and Mrs. Joseph R. Knowland, Noble and Mrs. Frank K. Mott, Noble and Mrs. Rodolph W. Meek, Noble and Mrs. Edith C. Robinson, Noble and Mrs. William H. Waste, Noble and Mrs. Frank B. Ogden, Noble and Mrs. Frank W. Bilger.

**SACRAMENTO JOB LOST BY DIGGS.**  
SACRAMENTO, March 24.—The loss of a \$6000 position as architect for the new Travelers' Hotel building is the latest woe of Maury Diggs, who faces four criminal charges for eloping with Lola Morris to Reno.

## HIKER SETS RECORD FROM ATLANTIC COAST

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Samuel A. Debs, a member of the Newspaper and Mail Deliverers' Union, who left New York on October 1 to walk across the continent in a study of labor conditions, arrived in San Francisco last night. He claims to have established a record in making the trip in 89 walking days. His last lap was another record, for he left Gilroy, 35 miles away, at midnight Saturday night and reached San Francisco at 9 p. m. He has signatures from hotel people in all the towns that he passed through, showing his time schedule. He carried credentials from the Gilroy Chamber of Commerce.

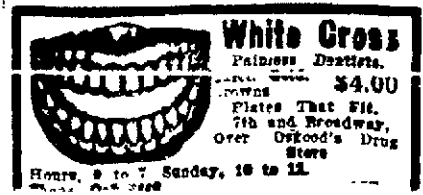
**SEEKS LAND OF ISTHMUS.**  
PANAMA, March 24.—This Isthmian canal commission has requested the Panamanian government to recognize officially under the treaty the right of the United States to use, occupy and control certain islands and peninsulas in the Gatun lake area outside the zone limits.

## Rheumatism Affects Lungs

Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Phthisis, Asthma and Anemia Often Directly the Result of Rheumatic Blood.



If you have a persistent, nagging bronchial cough beware of cough remedies. They are merely local in action, and if they do relieve it is the narcotics that do it. What you require is a blood purifier, a searching antidote that removes from the circulation the acid poisons that by their reflexes attack all weakness, susceptible spots and thus create local symptoms. The very best remedy known is Swift's Suro Specific. You will find it on sale in any drug store at \$1.00 per bottle. It goes straight into the blood, becomes an internal blood purifier, cures all the local fever spots and irritations, increases appetite, you take on flesh and feel a wonderful sense of renewed strength. Hundreds of people worried beyond control at cough, pains in the chest, sore throat and constant expectation of thick mucus have experienced the most wonderful change after using S. S. S. All doubt and apprehension is gone, those peculiar pains and aches vanish, there follows a period of most intense rejoicing to find that worst fears were based entirely upon a mistaken notion that cough and chest pains come from the lungs. These are rheumatic conditions, and you will quickly realize it after using S. S. S. for a few days. Get a bottle of S. S. S. to-day at the drug store and then say good by to all those pains that have worried you. Write to The Swift Specific Co., 127 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for medical advice and wonderful facts concerning the greatest blood remedy ever known.



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## PHOTO THEATER HAS FINE BILL

Some Remarkable Film Productions Keep Audience Spell-Bound.

What truly seemed a remarkable film production was "The Strength of Men," a dramatic portrayal in two acts by the Vitaphone Company that was presented to patrons of the Oakland Photo Theater yesterday. Replete with powerful situations, it depicted a terrific battle waged in the heart and hand of a beautiful girl.

Marie, daughter of the foreman of a lumber camp, is loved by Jan La Rose and Harry O'Carry. The two men quarrel over the girl. Jan discovers gold and stakes his claim. Harry observes him in the act, and decides to steal the claim, staking it as his own. A race to the Recorder's office and back again follows. The men are overtaken by a racing forest fire and their race for gold becomes a fight for life. Jan is pinned beneath a falling tree and Harry's sight is blinded by fire. Enemies then become friends, and both men finally reach safety. When Marie later decides between them, Jan is the man of her choice. Harry congratulates his former rival, and admits that the most vital thing with him is to see Marie happy. The disputed claim is then jointly worked by the two, and the past is all forgotten in the strength of brotherly love.

Arthur Johnson was seen in a most pleasing Lubin offering entitled "Friend John," the Edison Company presented "The Risen Soul of Jim Giant," an excellent and strong production showing how poverty and hardship had weakened a country lad who had drifted to the city and who finds the better man within him awakened through the innocent confidence of a little girl.

A comedy by the Vitaphone Company entitled "A Matter of Mathematics," completes the present program for today and tomorrow.

**TAMANDRA, THE GYPSY.**  
Opening Wednesday and Thursday is a romantic Romany story by the Dublin Company in two reels entitled "Tamandra, the Gypsy." The chief characters are impulsive and true to the types that make tales, not vicious, but rather pitiful, and will doubtless prove one of the successes of the season.

Mary Fuller, the much-loved Edison star, will be featured in "Kathleen Macnamara," while Flora Finch, the Vitaphone comedienne, will be seen in another mirth-provoker, entitled "Love Laughs at Locksmiths."

## URGES EXEMPTION OF STATE COLLEGES

Mills Committee Would Devote All Funds to Education of Youth.

Declaring that the resources of California colleges devoted in their entirety to the promotion of education, a committee of the Mills College faculty is urging exemption of "educational plants" of the State from taxation. The Mills College committee is composed of Luella Clay Carson, president; Helen N. Henry, registrar; Jane Gay Dodge, Clara L. Smith and Earle G. Lineley.

At present all the property of higher educational institutions in California is taxed the same as other property, with the exception of that held by the University of California, Stanford and Cogswell Polytechnic college. This State is declared to be the only one in the union which does not grant exemption.

To meet the situation, the committee to the State constitution has introduced in the Legislature by Senator Gates of Los Angeles and is now before the revenue and taxation committee of the Senate and the education committee of the Assembly.

**EXEMPTION FROM TAXES.**  
It reads: "Any educational institution of collegiate grade within the State of California, not conducted for profit, shall be exempted from taxation on real estate not exceeding 100 acres, its building and equipment, bonds and other securities, used exclusively for the purpose of education."

Under the proposed enactment, if any educational institution holds lands or buildings which are not used for educational purposes, but are held as an investment or rented for profit, such real estate would not be exempt from taxation.

The leading institutions which would be benefited by this change are Mills and St. Mary's colleges in Oakland, St. Ignace in San Francisco, University of the Pacific at San Jose and Santa Clara college at Santa Clara. For the north part of the State, in the south there are the Universities of Southern California, Occidental college and St. Vincent college in Los Angeles; Throop Polytechnic Institute in Pasadena, Whitier college in Whittier, Pomona college in Claremont and the University of Redlands at Redlands.

**GERMAN MARKSMEN WIN PRIZE MEDALS**

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Major Edward M. Stehn wins the first prize in the monthly medal shoot of the No. 1 German Shooting Club and the expert Stehbe medal of the year. John Iren wins the first prize in the bullseye competition of the Swiss Rifle Club, and John S. Leutenegger secures the second prize.

## SHOPGIRL BECOMES A FLIRT UNCONSCIOUSLY

By LAURA JEAN LIBBEY

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LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

express purpose of making the acquaintance of the sweet faced young woman behind the counter. If she happens to meet him outside, coming or going from her work, and he observes the same smile in her eyes and on her lips he is dolt who would fancy for a moment that she must be a flirt.

Of all girls in the world working girls are the most likely to attract other girls' good reputations. Like all girls, they hope for love and marriage. They have neither time nor inclination to encourage male flirts and are sensible enough to make it understood that, unless a man would marry, if he meets a nice, congenial girl, they would have no use for him. "If he's not on the marry he needn't come around."

Not one shop girl in a hundred will flirt. The few who have resorted to such an imprudent course have usually received such a salutary lesson in finding the man to be a pickpocket, gambler, or a married man, that that lesson was enough.

**SHE IS THE OLDER.**

"Dear Miss Libbey: I am in love with a young lady five or six years my senior. Do you think it is right that there should be such a difference? I know the girl loves me, because I have overheard several remarks she has said of me, and I certainly love her."

I think it better always that the husband be older than the wife, or at least more near her age than six years. However, marriages where there is such a difference in age, and even where there is still a greater difference, do sometimes turn out happily.

**SHALL THEY GIVE UP COLLEGE?**

"Dear Miss Libbey: I am 26. The girl whom I want to marry is only 17. We are now attending high school, but will both forsake our college career if you think it would be all right for us to get married. Of course we love each other, and so we think this is an ideal plan. I am fully capable of supporting a wife, and therefore see no objections to an early marriage."

No, that would be a silly thing to do. Finish your school course if you want to make anything of yourself. If you have the opportunity of a college education you ought to avail yourself of it. You have time enough to marry after you have finished college. You will then be better fitted for a successful life.

**"NEVER KEPT COMPANY."**

"Dear Miss Libbey: We are two girls, 17 years of age, still going to school. We take a great deal of interest in our work, and as yet have never kept company with boys. We much rather enjoy girls' amusements than entertaining gentlemen friends, but we have noticed all the girls of our age entertain them, and the other Sunday evening while other girls were entertaining their beaux we were amusing ourselves with our cousins while our parents were at a card party. After the nurse had put the little ones to bed we sat alone by the fireplace and thought of the other girls and wondered whether we should begin keeping company, or have we plenty time in the future? J."

You have plenty of time yet to go about with men friends. Don't let the fact that the other girls have beaux disturb you. Girls who start going about so young are old long before their time. At 20 or 21, when they should be just beginning to enjoy their beaux, they have become blasé and tired of dances and theater parties. Be just simple little girls as long as you can be. You have plenty of time to be grown up yet.

**"WOULDN'T ACCEPT TICKETS."**

"Dear Miss Libbey: I am a widow. I find time heavy on my hands evenings, and for that reason I asked a young man who is living with her mother married, but not living with her husband, to accompany me with her mother to a downtown theater. She consented to go and I bought the tickets, sent two of them to her, and naturally anticipated a pleasant evening, as I like her quite well, but to my great surprise she sent me a delivery letter containing the price of the tickets I had sent her and explaining that she feared it would cause too much comment in case we should be seen together. Now, which of us, if any, did wrong."

The young woman made a mistake in consenting to go in the first place. No doubt she thought it over seriously afterward and decided on what she thought the wisest course. It is much better for a woman in her position to avoid as

**W**HY is it that pretty shop girls are often accused of being prudes? The manager of both shop and theater are wont to choose comely young women. When once they cross the portals of either place they must conform to the custom of the place. On the stage the manager's first words to the new comers are: "You must smile and look as alert and happy as you can; thus in no place for you to assert your personality if you happen to be dignified or reserved in manner."

The manager of the shop tells the young woman whom he has just employed: "I want you to look pleasant, greet your customer with a smile." The overdressed young woman who frowns upon a customer in the store or out of it, is a detriment to our business; we have no use for her behind our counters. Both managers consider her smiles in a purely business manner, and that does not mean that they themselves with the acquaintances or friendships she forms outside of their jurisdiction.

This is the conclusion I would draw from the above. The knowledge that it is of vital importance for her to look pleasant, even smile, is soon so thoroughly a part of her nature that she assumes the attributes of the pretty first all unconscious of it. Any man dare approach her rudely and he discovers instantly that he has made a mistake in supposing he could form her acquaintance in any different manner than he would any other girl who has become acquainted with a millionaire's petted, safeguarded daughter.

There are men who accompany their sisters and their cousins, and their aunts on shopping expeditions, and the purpose of making the acquaintance of the sweet faced young woman behind the counter. If she happens to meet him outside, coming or going from her work, and he observes the same smile in her eyes and on her lips he is dolt who would fancy for a moment that she must be a flirt.

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**SHALL SHE INQUIRE?**

"Dear Miss Libbey: A young man whom I have been going with quite regularly lately, and whom I think a great deal of, has suddenly become ill. I am quite broken up about it as it may prove serious. I am growing very nervous over it. Would it be correct for me to telephone each day and inquire of his health? A."

Yes, it would be entirely proper.

## SOCIAL WORKERS' CLUB TO GATHER

Roofgarden Luncheon Tomorrow Will Have Interesting Speakers Present.

Chairman John F. Mullins of the County Board of Supervisors will preside at the regular Tuesday luncheon of the Social Workers' Club of Alameda County at Capwell's roofgarden on March 25. The topic for discussion will be "The Old and the New Method in County Charities and What it Means to the Taxpayer and to the Unfortunate." The subject of politics has been gradually eliminated from county charities in the past ten years to the relief of taxpayers and the termination of pauperizing methods by the supervisors in the use of the almshouse. The first under Miss Anita Whitney and later under Mrs. Frances B. Lemon, to investigate all applications for county aid. This method, it is said, has also meant more liberty and to the really needy aid. All Alameda county is now one of the foremost counties in the State in publicly assumed responsibility and care for destitution in all its forms.

The speakers will be Mrs. Frances B. Lemon, secretary of the Associated Charities, Probation Officer Christopher Burtess and City Treasurer and Tax Collector Edwin A. Meese, who will discuss various phases of the subject. In anticipation of a large attendance the dining room on the roof garden has been secured, and all who are interested are invited.

## MARRIAGE NOT HELD DESPITE LICENSES

REDDING, March 24.—Samuel Jones Howell of Corning came to Redding Friday evening with Miss Pearl C. McEwen of Red Bluff, he obtained a marriage license, planning to have the ceremony solemnized in Red Bluff, but the couple learned that the Shasta county marriage license was of no value in Tehama county.

They went to Red Bluff and paid for another marriage license. Deputy County Clerk DeWitt looking up the court records, found that Samuel Jones Howell had begun a divorce action against Jennie Howell November 30 last, and that the suit had never come to trial. He then refused to deliver the license to the pair.

Howell can not use either license until the divorce suit is settled, and then he must wait another year for a final decree.

## CUTS WIFE'S THROAT AS SHE LEAVES CHURCH

ARLON, Mass., March 24.—A variation on the tragic theme of "Manservant," "Rustic Chivalry," was given here yesterday outside the pastoral church door of St. Agnes.

William A. MacDonald, arriving from Boston, met his wife as she came out from mass, the organ notes of "Rejoice for the Lord Has Arisen," flooding the crisp morning air.

He cut her throat with a razor in full view of the departing congregation and, while overpowered, saw the woman from whom he had been separated by an order of the court, die on the church steps in the arms of women friends.

## FISHERMAN'S WIFE DROWNED IN THE BAY

SAN DIEGO, March 24.—In stepping from a fishing launch to a rowing boat today morning, a 48-year-old wife of a fisherman, fell into the bay. She did not come to the surface and was drowned. Her husband was holding their infant when the accident occurred. Fish-



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### Captain Roald Amundsen.

Skald to the viking! The modesty of the hardy Norse navigator is not less than his daring and endurance. Captain Roald Amundsen says he is not prompted to explore the unknown, frozen seas by a love of adventure, but he has in his veins the blood of a hundred generations of bold sailor men, who pushed their beaked prows into every sea between Iceland and the Isthmus of Suez, while the descendants of Clovis still sat on the Frankish throne in Gaul, and he feels the craving for peril and adventure strong within him.

But there is nothing spectacular about this silent modest gentleman schooled to patience and self-denial, for he carries nothing of the diablerie of the sea about him, and he reduces a stirring tale of courage, toil, privation and endurance to terms so matter of fact that his hearers forget that hunger, peril and hardship in the vast glooms and frozen silences of the polar regions call for the stoutest qualities of mind and body—the kind of bravery Napoleon called 3 o'clock in the morning courage.

Captain Amundsen is a true descendant of Red Eric. His name is enrolled among the immortals of history; he has threaded the Northwest passage in a little wooden ship, and planted the flag of Norway on the ice cap at the South Pole, and given the world a lesson in daring and courage that will be inspiring to all future generations. When he ascends to Valhalla, let us hope the gods will welcome him as one of themselves. His career proves that the Scandinavian strain is true to its ancient breeding.

Again skald to the viking! Hail and bon voyage! THE TRIBUNE hopes he will return from the Far North with fresh laurels, and that he will enjoy the peace and comfort of an old age filled to the brim with honors and happiness.

### Expansion of Oakland's Business Center.

The showing made in yesterday's TRIBUNE regarding the plans that are being matured for the expansion of the central business district and the early construction of three or more costly twelve-story Class-A office buildings in the vicinity of the new city hall is impressive reading for non-residents in other parts of the country who are taking an interest in Oakland's growth. The number of this class of people is multiplying owing to the increased publicity Oakland is receiving both in and out of the State.

But what must most deeply impress the average-Oaklander is the enormous value of the new city hall as an agent for the promotion of the private improvement of property. It has been the most influential factor in the creation of a permanent business center. Before the plans of the hall were adopted and the bonds to defray the cost of its erection, there was, strictly speaking, no certainty where the permanent center of business would finally be located. Large rival property interests were pulling and planning to pull it first this way and again in the opposition. Any new building enterprise was liable to cause an apparent new shift in the center of business development. The building of the city hall has finally anchored it.

The final determination of the center of the chief business district has, very naturally, given permanent stability to the values of property. The big retail department shops are clustering around the city hall, and towering office buildings are rising on the sites only very recently occupied by perishable buildings of trifling value, yielding insignificant rents. And it is quite plain now that the future expansion of the central retail district will be pretty nearly uniform in all directions which will thus result finally in the development of such a compact and convenient business quarter as few big cities possess. A large number of large and costly business structures have been erected within the last five years in Oakland; but it will be noted by the careful observer that they are all located within a short radius of the new city hall and that expansion is following the outer line of the circle.

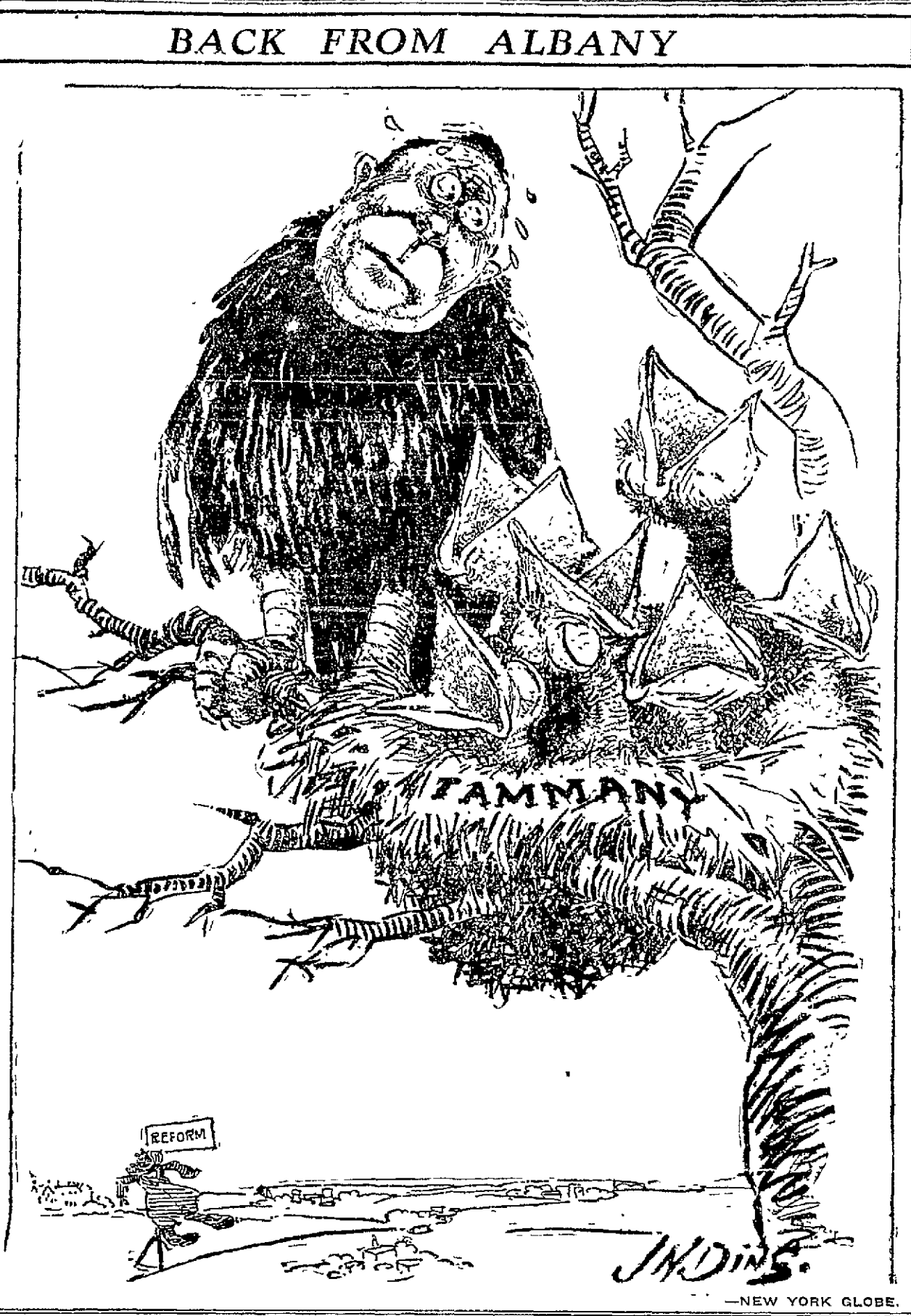
### An Important Distinction.

Dr. David Starr Jordan calls attention to the broad distinction between the high cost of living and the cost of high living. The two are often confounded. What were deemed luxuries a generation ago are reckoned necessities today. The standard of comfort has risen with an enormous bound during the last quarter of a century. The demand for better food and clothes and shorter hours of labor is worldwide. Wages have gone up in consequence and food and clothing cost more as an inevitable result, although the upward advance has been so rapid and so desultory that relative values have been somewhat dislocated, and are yet to be equalized.

But much of the complaint about the high cost of living is really directed at the cost of high living—the cost of luxuries, amusements and other non-essentials. The combination of the salaried clerk and the automobile is an illustration of the extravagant tendency of the age and the confusion of thought as to what constitutes the necessities of life.

While we share Dr. Jordan's abhorrence of war, we cannot agree with his estimate of the evils resulting from war and preparation for war. The cost of living is not enhanced by military enterprise and preparation nearly so much as he imagines; there are compensations he overlooks entirely or minimizes to an unwarrantable extent. Nevertheless the general truth of his indictment of war as inhuman, horrible and useless devastation must be conceded.

Yet the cost of living is not materially advanced by the cost of war and preparing for war. A drain on physical resources



does not produce, as a necessary consequence, an advance in the price of the products of labor and the soil.

The purchasing power of money has declined in obedience to a natural law. The volume of money has increased enormously during the last twenty years. The abundance of money has decreased its relative value. There has not been a corresponding increase in the production of foodstuffs. A bushel of wheat is therefore worth more gold than it was worth a few years ago. Also there are more mouths to feed, and an insistent demand for more food and better food. The pressure on subsistence is increasing, while the volume of money is swelling. Every year we have more dollars, but not another acre of land. We measure the value of labor and food by an ever-changing scale. The weights are growing lighter every year, yet we expect the articles to be weighed and value to remain stationary in price.

We persist in making the medium of exchange the measure of value when it is not and never can be. A financial fallacy can never abrogate the law of supply and demand, which is at the bottom of the whole problem of adjusting compensation to the cost of living. The money supply is superabundant, while the increase in the food supply hardly keeps pace with the increasing demand.

By this time Huntington Wilson has probably recovered from the shock of the surprise occasioned by his discovery that the other Wilson is the President of the United States. Also he is doubtless relieved of his fear that the heavens would fall if that Chinese loan deal was not allowed to go through. Still Huntington Wilson is dazed to find that he has only played himself for a white chip in the game of international politics. It is as if Sir Ralph Walpole's valet had undertaken to dictate the foreign policy of William Pitt.

### HEALTH OF THE INDIAN

In spite of the fact that the office of Indian Affairs has recently made its eighty-first annual report to the Secretary of the Interior, it is only in the last few years that the United States government has fully recognized its obligations to the Indian. The present policies endeavor to educate each Indian in a knowledge of health and sanitation which will prolong his race and fit him to associate and compete with white Americans. They seek either to place each Indian on a piece of land of his own, on which he can support his family, or to give him an equivalent opportunity in some industry or trade.

The attendance of Indian children in government public and mission schools has increased from 24,120 in 1892 to 39,397 in 1911, and yet in 1911 there were 24,000 Indian children of school age who were not in any school. In the past year special attention has been paid to the health and physical development of Indian pupils. As in all primitive races, alcohol is one of the Indian's deadliest foes.

Tuberculosis is probably the most destructive disease of 42,665 Indians examined for disease last year, 6570, or 15.11 per cent were tuberculous. On the other hand, 1260 Indians had tuberculosis, or 2.95 per cent.

The Blackfoot reservation in Montana, one kind of disease examined had the disease. Of the total population of the Colorado River reservation in Arizona, 20 per cent had tuberculosis. At the Mesquero reservation school in New Mexico, where the climate is nearly ideal, 5 per cent of the children were tuberculous. Over one-fourth of the Indians of the Pine Ridge reservation in South Dakota had tuberculosis. Even in Southern California over 10 per cent of the Indians suffer from the disease. Yet in all the United States there is no tuberculosis sanatorium for adult Indians, and there is provision for only 175 children of school age with incipient tuberculosis.

Of the 42,665 Indians examined last year, 1260 were likewise suffering from trachoma, and on the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache reservations 71 per cent of the school children had trachoma. The campaign of education in health and hygiene living has been continued by means of instruction lectures, pamphlets, school training and through the medium of visiting nurses, field matrons and medical social workers.

For the fiscal year 1912 an appropriation of \$250,000 has been asked from Congress to defray the expenses of a special health campaign, but only a part of this has so far been granted.—The Journal of the American Medical Association.

### WITTY BITS

The last of John Brown's raiders is dead, but his soul goes marching on.

When the office seeks the man it usually finds him waiting out on the front steps.

It is now painfully apparent that the pie counter is not a quick lunch establishment.

There are almost enough negro Democrats in the country to fill the offices they are demanding.

The new style nickel positively won't do—it wobbles when pitched at a crack, and you can't tell which side is head and which tails.

The trouble with married school teachers is that the baby would have to be minded by some other woman who might have made a better teacher.

President Wilson didn't learn the alphabet until he was 9 years old. If he had obtained an early start by going to kindergarten at 4, the whole course of recent history might have been changed.

—Washington Post

### POINTED PARAGRAPHS

The helping hand is seldom empty.

Be good, but also be good for something.

We feel sorry for the hero who is out of a job.

No man is born as free and equal as a hired girl.

No, Alonzo, you can't always tell a belle by her rings.

"It's no trouble at all," says a bill collector to find people out.

Very few men are so in love with their job that would refuse a better one.

A suffragette is a female who is willing to stand up for her rights anywhere, even in a crowded car.

It sometimes happens that a deaf mute is not highly educated, but what he knows he has at his fingers' ends.

A writer says there are more than 20,000 women in New York who are past 75 years of age. No wonder. It is the chorus girl headquarters.—Chicago News.

### RESINOL STOPS SKIN TORMENTS

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POTTED BEEF, Franco-American, for sandwiches; tin 10c  
UNIVERSITY ROLLED OATS; package, 10c; 3 for ..... 25c  
UNIVERSITY ROLLED WHEAT; pkg., 10c; 3 for ..... 25c  
ASPARAGUS, Alcala, white; tin ..... 25c  
APPLES, evaporated; 3 pounds ..... 25c  
MOLASSES, New Orleans No. 2; bottle 20c; half gallon, 45c; gallon ..... 75c  
GUAVA JELLY, Kelly's Hawaiian; glass ..... 20c  
CURRY POWDER, Vencatachellum; 4-ounce bottle ..... 25c  
BAKING POWDER, Royal; pound tin ..... 35c  
DILL PICKLES, dozen ..... 15c  
PRUNES, 60-70, California sweet (in sacks); lb. .... 7c  
DATES, Fard; pound ..... 15c  
PUMPKIN, Eastern; large tin, 17c; dozen tins ..... \$2.00  
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WHISKEY, old stock Bourbon and Rye, bot. \$1.25; gal ..... \$5.00  
IMPERIAL COCKTAILS, choice of 6 varieties, bottle ..... \$1.00  
EXTRA V. V. CLARET, doz. bots., \$3.75; doz. half bots., \$2.50; gal. 60c  
GOLDEN RIESLING, doz. bots., \$2.25; gallon ..... 85c  
IMPORTED FINE OLD PALE; regular \$1.00 ..... 90c  
IMPORTED SHERRY, Pearl, regular \$1.00 ..... 90c  
EXTRA CALIFORNIA BRANDY, bot. 75c; gal ..... \$3.00  
D. C. L. SCOTCH WHISKY, King George IV Red Crown, bottle ..... \$1.25  
D. C. L. ORANGE BITTERS, for cocktails, bottle ..... \$1.00  
D. C. L. OLD TOM or DRY GIN, bot., 85c; gal ..... \$4.60  
HENKEL'S RHINE WINE, Laubenhaimer, doz. bottles, \$9.00 ..... \$5.00  
dozen half bottles ..... \$5.00  
EVERARD'S BEER, doz. bots., \$2.15; doz. half bottles, \$1.10; ..... 80c  
dozen splits ..... 80c

### 20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

In consideration of the prevailing scarcity of employment for laborers and mechanics, THE TRIBUNE makes an arrangement through Mrs. Nevine, who conducts the Free State Labor Bureau, 364 Seventh street, to give free advertising to the needy unemployed.

The Alumni Association of the University of California celebrated the twenty-sixth anniversary of the institution with a banquet in the Palace hotel, San Francisco.

Albert Kayser, who was defeated in the Sixth ward for the office of school director by R. O. Whitehead by the narrow margin of four votes, files a notice of contest through his attorney, Judge Nusbaum.

Miss Sylvia Chapman, dramatic reader, is to be married to an eastern man.

C. P. Huntington, C. F. Crocker and Senator Stanford are on their way to California.

When saloonkeepers begin to talk temperance there is something brewing.

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## MEXICANS ATTACK MINING TOWN

## FIRE RETURNED BY FEDERAL SOLDIERS

General Obregon Leads State Troops in Assault Upon Cananea.

Colonel Moreno Defends Town With Only 350 Federal Regulars.

NACO, Ariz., March 24.—State troops under General Obregon and Colonel Cabral attacked the American mining town of Cananea at 7 o'clock this morning, according to advices received here. The attack was made simultaneously from two directions with artillery and hand grenades.

The federal garrison of 350 men under Colonel Moreno was entrenched in an old packing plant and withstood the first assault. Reports reaching here state that approximately 2000 workmen who were thrown out of work by the closing of the Cananea Consolidated Copper Company's plants were preparing to engage in the struggle in behalf of the state troops.

The fighting continued into the afternoon. Federals returned the fire with spirit, but without perceptible advantage to either side. The idle miners remained under cover, although many of them were armed. The barracks and packing plant where the federals are fortified are of stone and are withstanding well the artillery and rifle fire of the constitutionalists.

MORENO IS BOLD.

Although the attackers numbered about 1000, Colonel Moreno boldly met the assault with only 350 federal regulars. All Americans were removed to places of safety, most of the foreign women and children having been sent to the border last week.

## SEVEN CHARGED WITH HOLDING "BUNK AUCTION"

James Rowe, arrested with seven others for conducting what is alleged to have been a "bunk auction," was arraigned before Judge George Samuels this morning. He and his companions put over till tomorrow to plead. Rowe, who is a jeweler, was arrested with Thomas O'Neill, auctioneer, on charges of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Their companions, Simon Goh, clerk; Fred St. Clair, assistant auctioneer; Mrs. T. S. O'Neill; George Dehech, janitor; Harry V. Roden, watchmaker, and D. R. Kisen, were arrested as accomplices or "cappers" in the auction room. All are out on bail.

## WESTERN AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION PLANS RACE

Plans are being prepared by the Western Automobile Association, of which Frank A. Garbutt is president, to hold the first annual Los Angeles-San Francisco-Panama-Pacific road race, which will be run under an executive committee appointed by the board of directors of the association.

The committee plans to make the race the biggest event of its kind that has ever been held in the world and believes that it can accomplish its purpose as California has more automobiles per capita than any other State in the Union.

On the executive committee are Leon T. Shetter (chairman), P. H. Greer and S. A. McKee.

## CHINESE GAMBLERS RECEIVE HEAVY FINES

In two raids on Chinese gambling places yesterday the police captured 22 Chinese gamblers. Two men are booked as gamekeepers, the ball being \$150 each, while the rest were booked as visitors, the ball being \$100 each. The places raided were at 358 Eighth street and 541 Webster street.

The heaviest fines on the record of the local police courts for illicit handling of opium and other narcotics were handed down this morning by Judge George Samuels. Charles Fong was fined \$250 on two charges, Quong Sing \$200, Ah Lin Um \$100 and Ah Chew \$100.

## SUSPECTED SATCHEL THIEF HELD; GOODS IDENTIFIED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—With the arrest this morning in a waterfront lodging-house of Philip Hoffman, the police believe that they have finally caught the suitcase thief, who has been purloining suitcases and portmanteaus from the various depots and from automobiles.

In his room were found 20 grips of various sizes and shapes. Several of these have been identified by their owners.

PROBATIONER SENTENCED.

Charles Revey, alias J. C. Ryan, was arrested this morning for having lottery tickets in his possession. Revey had been placed on probation by Judge Mortimer Smith on a similar charge before. On the recommendation of Probation Officer Robert Tyson, probation was revoked and Revey was sentenced on two charges of 60 days in the city prison.

**BUTTER**  
2 lbs. 85c  
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1 dozen 23c

Tomorrow  
Royal Creamery  
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Also All Branches.

## WHO'LL HAVE ME? EASTER FOUNDLING



HERE IS OAKLAND'S EASTER BABY, GUARDED CAREFULLY BY NURSE MISS ROSE BORDANARO.

## Basket With Infant Left on West Oakland Doorstep by Stranger

Cooling and blinking at the brightness of the after Lenten world into which she had come on Easter day, 4½-pound Hazel Dorothy, this morning announced her intention in vigorous infantile fashion to find a home with some kind people where there is no little fairy or remnant at the West Oakland Home, where she had been brought last night by big-hearted policemen.

Hazel Dorothy first made herself known on the doorstep of Mrs. B. Lanyon, 1310 Chestnut street. At 5:30 Easter evening no one saw a person near the doorway although careful inquiry was made in the neighborhood and it was still daylight.

Mrs. B. Lanyon, who came to the door, saw a basket wrapped in brown paper. She brought it into the house, not knowing what it was. A sound came from within. "It must be a baby," she thought, but when the cotton was rolled back a wee innocent face was disclosed and a midgelet sat tightly clutched a roughly written note which told the chronological events in the little foundling's short life as follows:

NOTE TELLS NAME.

"I am Hazel Dorothy, born at 4:30 a. m., Easter Sunday, March 23."

Patrolman Bergson was sent to investigate when Mrs. Lanyon called up the police and his report over the phone so interested Patrolman Pleasants that he requested Captain Frank Lynch to send him out on the detail.

When Pleasants arrived the sight of the wee blue and wonder filled eyes of the baby decided him.

"Her name will be Pleasants, if we don't find her parents," he said, and straightaway went to the telephone to ask his wife if he could bring it home. Mrs. Pleasants was out and the baby girl was taken to the West Oakland Home, where Miss Rose Bordanaro, the nurse in the infant department, watches over her carefully.

Hazel Dorothy is the latest arrival

## COUNCIL FIRM ON ORDINANCE

Refuses to Submit Animal Home Measure to Referendum Vote As Requested.

The City Council has declined to submit the proposed ordinance to prevent the establishment of an animal home near the Park-street bridge to a referendum vote of the people, and the objectors to the animals' home will have to obtain about 1100 signatures to their petition to force the issue. It is anticipated that the signatures will not be obtained, as the complaint has no general significance.

## PICKPOCKET'S VICTIM DIDN'T REALIZE LOSS

Cries of "Stop thief!" and "There he goes!" aroused the interest of Henry Beck, 1131 Oak street, when he was riding on a Grove street car yesterday, and he watched H. H. Haron, 410 Florentine street, working his way through the car to get to the gate. By the time Haron arrived the thief had escaped and was disappearing round a corner.

Haron came back after a short run. "Did you lose anything?" inquired Beck.

"No, but you did," responded Haron. "I saw that pickpocket take a purse from you and tried to call your attention, but he got away."

Beck's hand went to his pocket and he found that a purse containing \$75 had been stolen from him. The police have been notified and are investigating.

## Two Submarine Boats Nearly Done

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Of the five submarine boats building for the United States navy at the Union Iron Works, H1 and H2 are 95 per cent completed and preparations are being made for a double launching of the deep sea divers early in May.

This is the first time launching on the Pacific Coast and will be an event attended with much ceremony. A large number of officers of the navy will be present.

The boats, H1 and H2, which have been in commission for almost a year, have surpassed all the government's required tests. Submarine H3, H4 and H5 are more than 50 per cent completed.

## 'ADOLPHUS 9TH' SOUGHT BY POLICE

Young Man Masquerading as Busch Scion, Said to be Fleece.

Detective Declares He Has Cleared Up \$15,000 by Alleged Swindles.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Charles Marlon Busch, who registered at the Palace Hotel something over two weeks ago and signed himself and grandiloquent fashion, "Adolphus Busch, Ninth," is being sought by the police.

The young man, for whom a warrant was issued by Judge Sullivan today, is accused of having posed as the son of Adolphus Busch, the millionaire brewer of St. Louis.

By his swagger manner and confidential air, he succeeded so well in impressing himself into the good graces of several prominent business men, that he is said by Detective Macpherson to have cleaned up about \$15,000.

Where he has gone, no one seems to know, but W. V. Johnson of the Union Construction Company procured a warrant against him today for obtaining money under false pretenses. Johnson says he lost \$300 through his acquaintance with Busch.

## PORT COLLECTOR ASKED TO SPEAK

Requested to Address Gettysburg Re-Union on "The Lost Cause."

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—The Collector of the Port, Frederick S. Stratton, has been invited by the speakers in charge of the Gettysburg Reunion for the Blue and the Gray to deliver an address on either July 1, 2 or 3, when both the survivors of the North and South, taking part in the conflict, are to be present.

Stratton has been asked to speak upon "The Lost Cause—the Southern Confederacy," being the result of study on his part of both sides of the Civil War question. His address was delivered originally before the Berkeley professors, but the manuscript was asked for by the committee, General John C. Black, chairman, in the East, with the result that the invitation has been issued to deliver an address on the occasion named.

## Use Gas Bombs to Capture Culprit

Fugitive Cornered on Roof in State of Semi-Asphyxiation.

PARIS, March 24.—A weapon for firing asphyxiation bombs, devised after the recent siege of automobile bandits in their strongholds, was used for the first time today in the capture of a negro who ran amuck in the Auteuil quarter, threatening everyone he met with a loaded revolver.

Detectives chased the man from room to room in a house where he had taken refuge, firing gas bombs as they went. The fugitive was finally cornered on the roof in a state of semi-asphyxiation.

## STORK VISITS PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER

Commissioner of Public Works Harry S. Anderson and Mrs. Anderson were made the recipients of numerous congratulations this morning on the birth of a baby girl. Mother and daughter were pronounced by the attending physicians to be doing well.

The youngest Miss Anderson weighed nine pounds.

## MUSIC A MOULDER OF CHARACTER

Children Particularly Susceptible; Brings Out Gentler Side of Nature and Gives Them a Polish.

There is no accomplishment that makes a person more sought after than to be able to play or sing well. The love of music is universal. In this day when success depends so much in the character of people we associate with it means more to the young man or young woman, than ever before, to have a good musical education.

Music will open the doors of the most exclusive homes. The musician has the entrée to the best society and makes the acquaintance and forms friendships with those who will help to make a success of their life.

Don't overlook your child's musical education. It means as much to its future success as any other branch of its education.

In column 18 in our business pages you will find a list of competent music teachers whose charges are reasonable.

## PRETTY GIRL HELD BURGLAR SUSPECT



MISS JESSIE INNES CLIFTON, WHO, WITH TWO OTHER YOUNG WOMEN, IS HELD AS THIEVES LOOKOUTS.

## Miss Jessie Clifton, Remorseful in City Prison, Wishes for Her Prayer Book

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Pretty Jessie Clifton, who, with two other young women of tender years, is locked up at the city prison, captured in a raid on a den of thieves, plaintively asked this morning that she be given her prayer book. The young woman seemed repentant and sad and declared that at last she realized her position. She said she had spent all of last night sobbing and that she had regretted exceedingly her inability to attend the Roman Catholic services on Easter Sunday.

Despite the girl's protestations of innocence, however, and her assertion that she knows Margaret Shea, alias Maude Evans, only as a friend, she has not yet seen the third girl, Beatrice Bailey, in her life, the detectives believe that she is shamming and assert that she does not act like an innocent person and that the circumstances surrounding her relationship with Patrick P. Shea of New York and the woman whom he claims to be his wife, in the Stanton street lodging house, do not corroborate her story.

DETECTIVES BUSY.

While the three girls, together with Shea and the second male suspect, Bert Shepard, alias Earl Silverling, are languishing in jail, Detectives Dignan, O'Dea, Wren and David Murphy, are gathering together the links in the chain of evidence against them and this morning began a new line of inquiry.

"I thought the first night that I was only being held as a witness," said Jessie Clifton, as she sat on a narrow bench in the city prison this morning. "I feel terribly about it now. I realize that I have really been arrested, but I don't know what I can do. I am absolutely innocent. I never did anything really wrong in my life. I met Maude Shea three and a half years ago, and after she went east I corresponded with her. When I was going to the University of the Pacific at San Jose, my parents lived in Los Gatos. Later my mother and I were employed at Sunnyvale. We came up here last November, my mother going to join my father, while I went to live at the Pierce street apartment house. I left some time before Christmas and came down here two weeks ago, having all along written back and forth to Mrs. Shea and intending to join her and her husband. I slept in the front parlor on a couch. They were in the back parlor with only the folding door between. I am sure I could have heard them if they'd gone out at night to commit burglaries."

THOUGHT SHEA A CARPENTER.

"I saw those tools in the house, but thought Shea was a carpenter. I won't say for sure where my mother is, whether in Stockton or in Stanislaus county. My father has started in a new business and it might hurt him."

"I am a good girl. I belong to the Catholic church. I wish I had my prayer book now. I am going to ask the detectives to get it for me. I feel terrible that I couldn't go to church yesterday, which was Easter."

"When I worked here last year in a candy store on Market street there were only two good girls in the place."

WOMAN BANGED DOOR.

The clew which led the police to raid the house at 723 Stanton street Saturday night was furnished Detective Dignan by someone who had learned that the Shea woman had banged at the door of the apartments at 3:30 o'clock last Tuesday morning after the sensational pistol duel with the police when Shumate's store was entered by burglars. The officers decided to investigate and found the loot, which represents thefts, it is claimed, from at least a half-dozen stores.

There is a remote connection between the members of the gang in custody and Owen D. Conn, the "One Hundred Thousand Dollar" burglar whose alleged consort, Kittie Pope, is on her way here from Detroit.

GIRL IS HELD.

This comes from the fact that Conn lived at 120 Pierce street, where Miss Clifton resided.

"I don't know anything about that man," said the girl this morning. "He must have lived there after I left."

That the police do not believe the Clifton girl quite as culpable as the others is evidenced by the fact that while all are detinue prisoners, she has been kept in the dormitory, usually reserved for girl witnesses in white slave cases.

"You can say for me," said Detective Dignan today, "that I doubt the Clifton girl's story and that I'm certainly not going to turn any of them loose. Indeed, you may expect startling developments at any time."

## SPACE WANTED FOR COUNTY EXHIBITS

Manufacturers Committee Are Planning Industrial Show, Flooded With Requests.

County Manufacturers Will be Displayed in Kahn Building the Public.

Even the highest expectations of the committee of the Alameda County Manufacturers of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce which is handling the big exhibition of Alameda county manufacturers to be shown in the basement of the Kahn building are being surpassed and it is expected that large basement floor space of the new building will be crowded to its capacity with exhibits of the various things manufactured in this county.

This morning's mail brought in reservations for over one-fourth of the floor space. Invitations to show were sent out Saturday. Fred Parsons is handling the affair ably assisted by Fred Beagle Jr., and a number of other members of the manufacturers' committee. Among the firms who have asked for space to show are the C. L. Best Co., Southern Pacific Company, Pacific Leather Works, Howard and Company, cereals, California, Buswell and Paraffine Paint Companies; Judson Manufacturing Company; Pacific Spring Bedding Company, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Pacific Shade Cloth Company, Atlas Gas Engine Company, Pacific Coast Rattan Company, Hammer Bray Company, California Canning Company, Conrad Electric Company, Standard Soap Company, W. P. Fuller and Company; King Electric Company; N. Clark and Sons, California Pottery Works, Lee Berthillon, Coast Manufacturing Company and the Oakland Lamp Works.

It is expected that the remaining space will be taken up during the course of the next few days.

## Mystery in Death of Four People on Farm

Family Found Drowned in Cellar After Fire Which Destroyed Home.

GLASSBORO, N. J., March 24.—Lying in the cellar of their ruined house, the bodies of Lee Wharton, 38 years old, wife, Emma, 32, and their 6-year-old daughter, Lillian, were found drowned following a mysterious fire yesterday which destroyed the Wharton farm house, about ten miles from here. The body of Johnnie Hemphill, 42 years old, a farm hand on a neighboring farm, was found in a shed behind the house with a load of shot through his heart.

Mystery surrounds the four deaths. A double-barreled shotgun, with an empty shell was found near the body of Hemphill. According to neighbors, Hemphill and Mrs. Wharton attended a moving picture show in Williamstown together Saturday night.

## "OBSERVES" EASTER, BUT FAILS TO TURN OFF GAS

When Albert Shottenberg of 644 Third street, 23 years of age, retired last night, he didn't know whether he turned the gas jet on or off, according to his recollections, when he recovered consciousness in the Receiving Hospital this morning. "I was celebrating yesterday," he said, "and I don't remember about the gas jet."

The young man was found unconscious in his room by members of the family, who detected the fumes. He was taken to the hospital at 6:30 this morning and attended by Steward Conn. Shottenberg is a bartender by occupation.

## CONFESSIONS TO A MURDER

PROVOKED. Denver, who has been in jail here a month on a charge of vagrancy, made an affidavit yesterday that he had killed a Denver and Rio Grande railroad detective named Stringer at Ute Junction, Colorado, in February, 1912, by hitting him over the head with a coupling pin.

## Public Auction of an elegantly furnished PRIVATE RESIDENCE

(Name withheld by request) on the premises

1054 18th St., Cor. Linden (See Flag)

Sale Wednesday

March 26, at 11 a. m. sharp. 25 rooms of the finest made and styled furniture are represented in this mansion, and all in first class condition, in part thereof as follows:

SITTING ROOM—Library table, chairs, rockers, unfolding davenport, bookcase, desk, 3-piece set, all in craftsman style.

DINING ROOM—60-inch extension table, cost \$60 (chairs to match); a morocco leather couch; buffet, cost \$120; china closet, inlaid.

BEDROOMS—Bedroom sets in mahogany, any, crocheted, wains, bird's-eye maple and oak; bedding, bonnet and bath; dressing table and chairs, rugs and carpets, brass and enamel beds, dresses and chiffoniers, silk dress mattresses; Baitingberg spread, cost \$80; drawwork spread in linen, and others, hall rack, red oak table, chairs, crockery, utensils, etc., etc.

Goods MUST be sold, as this consignee is going abroad.

H. BARNARD, Auctioneer.

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Between Washington and Clay.







## LATEST NEWS FROM OUTSIDE TOWNS

ALTA MIRA CLUB  
HAS CELEBRATION

California Day Appropriately  
Observed by Speeches,  
Exercises and Music.

SAN LEANDRO, March 24.—California Day is being celebrated here today by the Alta Mira club. The program, consisting of patriotic music, exercises and speeches, is being taken part in by many of the leading women of San Leandro, and a large number of the school children.

The following is the program: Flag salute, school girls; "Origin and Meaning of the name California," Mrs. S. F. Porter, reading room of the Alta Mira club; "California Indians," Mrs. Charles Shurtz; song, selected, Miss E. Grant; "Pony Express and Overland Staging in Early Days," Mrs. H. Black; "Flower song," Mrs. Paul Beiler; "California Industries," Miss M. Wilkins; original rhymes, Mrs. E. M. Bernhard.

The school girls, daintily dressed in white, who will salute the flag are: Margaret Ross, Margaret Stokes, Flossie Mason, Anna Elizabeth Brown, Evelyn Bruner, Florence Joyce, Bernice Kelly, Rebekah Chance, Elizabeth Noll, Loretta Jeffery, Myra Graham, Ruth Marshall, Anna Schmidt, Edith Kernan, Thelma Rogers, Dorothy Larson.

Mrs. M. Martin is chairman of the event, while the following women are acting as a reception committee, headed by Mrs. F. O. Meyers as hostess: Miss Ethel Miller, Miss A. Mayne, Miss M. Olsen, Mrs. C. H. Miller, Mrs. J. McCannagh, Mrs. H. B. Martin, Mrs. T. P. Maher, Mrs. E. O. Meyers, Mrs. L. Marshall, Mrs. George Ochs, Mrs. A. T. Tolson, Mrs. C. O. Putnam and Mrs. Ed Penabody.

A large number of visitors and residents are attending the celebration.

ENGINEER WILL  
ADDRESS PUBLIC

Elias Rudd Will Speak on City  
Building to San Leandro  
Civic Body.

SAN LEANDRO, March 24.—Elias Rudd, a well known civil engineer, will address the San Leandro Chamber of Commerce tonight on "City Building with Special Reference to San Leandro." The address will be followed by a general discussion, and the chamber will adopt any suggestions made by Rudd which they consider will be beneficial to the city.

The meeting will be held in the city hall and the public are invited to be present in large numbers, while an opportunity will be given the citizens to express their views on city improvement. Everyone here is at present keenly interested in civic welfare, and several important schemes have been proposed by the Chamber of Commerce and the town trustees for the advancement of the town. It is well noted in civic improvement, and it is thought that the ideas and suggestions may prove of considerable value as an indication of how to go about improvement.

WORK ON MELROSE  
EXTENSION BEGINS

San Leandro Tracks May be  
Completed by Early  
June.

MELROSE, March 24.—Work commenced today in track laying on the Melrose extension of the Southern Pacific suburban electric system. It is expected that the track to San Leandro will be completed by June, and that trains will be running to the western terminus of San Leandro by that time. There are one and a half miles of double track to be laid to complete the extension and overhead work from Hillside avenue to the present terminus of the line, to Estudillo avenue in San Leandro. The extension will be run through part of the richest farming land in this district.

MISSION GIRL LEADING  
IN QUEEN CONTEST

NILES, March 24.—Miss Lucy Rose of Mission, San Jose, one of the nominees for queen of the Mission Restoration Festival to be held in Niles in May, is leading by nearly 3000 votes. She is leading by nearly 3000 votes. She is leading by nearly 3000 votes. She is leading by nearly 3000 votes.

## RICHMOND NOTES

RICHMOND, March 24.—A large delegation of local boys' and girls' clubs will attend the meeting of the Berkeley chapter this week for the purpose of raising a large amount of money for the club. The name of Richmond's Ciderella is Mrs. W. Fetter, residing in a small cottage on the north side of the city. The contest by a local theater, in which a tiny pair of slippers was the reward to any lady who could wear them.

Assemblyman D. J. Johnson cast his vote for the red light abatement bill at Sacramento and Senator Gray will do likewise when it comes to a vote in the Senate. The constituency here favored the measure.

The cutting district on the north are building up fast with a multiplicity of cottage homes and a number of new factory plants, among them being the new V. W. States Sanitary Company, the typewriter manufacturing plant and the new woolen mill. Further east, the new building at Pullman, which will be a new modern picture theater.

The ladies of the local V. C. T. U. are to meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. J. Jones, it being Union Signal day with them. A special program of interest has been prepared. Saturday night the ladies of the O. A. U. entertained the old soldiers with a fine banquet that had a much larger menu than those of 1904 did. The var of the rebellion was fought on again, and during the course of the evening Mrs. Anna Thora was presented with a birthday cake by the ladies.

A pleasant surprise was here last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Silver, the occasion being the thirty-fifth birthday of Mr. Silver. The genial station agent of the Southern Pacific was preparing to retire when a bonnetful of jocular friends brought him a realization of the fact that it was his birthday. They danced, sang and had a good time generally. The plans of the past week had their effect upon building operations, the week showing permits for new buildings of only \$24,420.

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## LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Child, 18 months, lost 3th  
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California, reward: return to 733 Madison  
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LOST—S. M. Mar. 22, oblong breastpin;  
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UPPER SUITS—Dresses, new styles,  
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your corset made to fit you at the De  
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specialty. 1134 Market st., apt. 10, S. F.

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ing, 1309 Washington st., room 6, ladies  
bath.

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facial treatments. Apt. 10, 752 Larkin  
st., S. F.

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massage. 1144 Market st., room 104,  
San Francisco.

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and massage. 911 Fillmore, Apartment  
1, San Francisco.

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1669 Devisadero st., cor. Post, S. F.

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Jones, S. F., Apt. 303, formerly Larkin.

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California, near Kearny, phone Oak 106.

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their party, Oakland, wages \$25. Bon  
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Alameda.

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we will tell you.

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white men, between 18 and 35 years of  
age; citizens of United States of good  
character and temperate habits; who can  
speak, read and write the English lan-  
guage. For information apply to Recruit-  
ing Office, 716 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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Apply from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.,  
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essary. Apply 8 o'clock any morning.  
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WANTED—Energetic young men, Swede or  
German, with business experience, union  
man preferred. Call evenings.  
Mr. Nichols, 1462 Broadway.

WANTED—An experienced man press  
clothes garments. Appl. Kahn Bros.  
clothes and hats, 124 E. 10th.

WANTED—Carpenter or contractor for  
remodeling building. Inquire at 70 E. 10th  
ave., Sunday or Monday.

WANTED—Boy with wheel to work all  
day, near Midway and Mason, 1514  
Clay st., Oakland.

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ATTENTION—LEARN HAIRDRESSING  
THE FAMOUS PEAVY P. V. SYSTEM;  
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AT the Success Employment Agency, at  
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house girls; best wages. Phone Oak-  
land 187.

AA—LADIES and girls to fill pillow top  
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unnecessary starting. World's Fair Art  
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work; sleep home; \$15. Phone Merritt  
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resses, \$100 and found; transfer at end  
of month. Employment Exchange; phone  
Oakland 3358.

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son's Employment Agency, 1512 Broad-  
way, phone Oakland 107.

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no washings; wages \$30. Call Tuesday  
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adults. 4125 Howe.

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land 1177. Reliable help short notice.

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work and cooking; small family; wages  
\$25. Phone Merritt 3773.

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Pablo ave.

WOMAN fond of children to stay with  
2 babies every night from 6 p. m. until  
8 a. m. Apply Perla Apts., Apt. 509,  
13th and Jackson sts., bet. 10 a. m. and  
4 p. m.; reference.

WANTED—By an elderly lady, a useful  
companion, neat, honest, moderate wages.  
Apply Miss Wade, 444 Alameda ave. and  
14th st., Fruitvale; phone Merritt 3752.

WANTED—Experienced cook and gen-  
eral housework girl, references. Wages  
\$28 to \$30. 825 E. 20th st.; phone Mer-  
ritt 2426.

WANTED—A girl April 1 for general  
housework, must have good references.  
Apply evenings at 1223 Webster st.

WANTED—Experienced housekeeper, wages  
\$15 to \$20. Room 51, The Argus,  
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FIRST-CLASS Swedish girl, good cook,  
wants position in private family; \$40.  
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GOOD Swedish girl wishes cooking and  
light housework in small family; wages  
\$25. Call 5568 Kales ave., Oakland.

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physician's office; experience in elec-  
tricity; references. Box 8113,  
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week. Mond, Wednesday, Friday, Sat-  
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reasonable. 512 1st st.; phone Oakland  
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references. Phone Lakeside 2999.

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day and car fare. Phone Alameda 2989.

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months old, desires position as house-  
keeper; small salary; Christian Science  
home preferred. 522 63d st.; phone Pied-  
mont 6643.

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experience; best ref. Box 5127, Tribu-  
ne.

WANTED by young woman with expe-  
rience in nursing, to take care of gen-  
eral housework. Phone Oakland 4575,  
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## Column 4

## SITUATIONS WANTED

## MALE—Continued

ACCOUNTANT, cashier, bookkeeper,  
thorough office man and systematizer,  
open for an engagement, city or coun-  
try, best of references; bond is re-  
quired. Address: 533 4th st., Oakland,  
or telephone Piedmont 544.

A YOUNG Japanese wishes position as  
cook and housework in a small fam-  
ily; recommendation, Chalmers, 2917  
Broadway.

A NO. 1 working gardener, fix up your  
garden, yard or lawn by the day, Sat-  
urday or month at reasonable price. W. Mo-  
raht; Oak 7310.

A YOUNG man with some experience in  
plastering and bricklaying wants posi-  
tion. Box 7353, Tribune.

A CHINESE boy wants position; plain  
cooking and little housework. 315 7th  
st., Oakland.

BY a gasoline expert automobile, motor  
boat, hydro-aeroplane, graduate P. C. of  
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national Aeroplane Co., Chicago, D. C.,  
Dixon 197 9th st.; Oak 198.

COOK want, position, country resort;  
as cook, wife, maid, housework, 110 4th  
st., Berkeley.

EXPERIENCED Japanese boy wants po-  
sition as waiter or cook in private fam-  
ily; neat and reliable. Phone Berkeley  
7374.

FIRST-CLASS Japanese laundry man  
wants position in private family in Oak-  
land; years' experience and best of ref-  
erence. Please phone Lakeside 1330; Geo.  
Enma.

FIRST-CLASS young Japanese cook  
wishes position in family to call on  
general housework. Higashi, 808 Har-  
rison st.

GOOD Japanese couple wants place; man  
as cook, wife as table and house-  
work; both speak English; wages \$25 up.  
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GERMAN, handy with tools of all kinds,  
gardening, etc.; willing to do any kind  
of work at any reasonable wage; old  
jobs accepted. Address 1119 71st ave.,  
Berkeley.

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day days open, would accept care of out-  
side or residence place in Oakland; by day or  
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HIMMER'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—  
We are headquarters for help. 324  
E. 10th, phone Oakland 2160.

HOUSE painting and lining done; first-  
class painting. Fred Fulton, phone Oak-  
land 2057.

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dener, helper, plain cook or house-  
worker. S. Tanaka, 623 Clay st.

JAPANESE boy wants any kind of work  
by day or half day. Tada, 289 6th st.,  
Oakland 7446.

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work by day or night. Phone Oakland 5593;  
T. Ochiai.

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guage; has a car. Phone Oakland 3354,  
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ameda 2900.

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dress Miner, Box 985, San Leandro.

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Bor Tong



## Column 14

## HOUSES FOR SALE

(Continued.)

SIX-ROOM new bungalow in the Claremont district; near Key Route and care; close to new school building; hardwood floors and beamed ceilings; \$5000 down and \$30 per month. Owner, O. M. Bullock, 158 E. Broadway, Oakland; phones Merritt 3383, Oakland 2538.

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For particulars Piedmont 3661.

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### ROOMING HOUSES FOR SALE

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FORMER GOVERNOR  
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BELLINGHAM, Wash., March 24.—The funeral of ex-Governor Albert E. Mead today was attended by a large throng. Trinity Methodist Church being filled to capacity, while several thousand people gathered outside. Governor Ernest Lister spoke of Mr.

Mead's services to the State and ex-Governor Marion E. Hay occupied a seat on the rostrum. The body was buried in Bay View cemetery, in a grave in which the ashes of the ex-governor's father, William Banks Mead, who died at Chehalis two years ago, were placed in conformance with a request made by the older Mead. Two thousand people accompanied the body to the cemetery.

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DINNER FOR AMUNDSEN.  
SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Captain Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole, was the guest of honor at a dinner given by Norwegian Consul Henry Lund yesterday at the latter's home. Consul Lund will introduce Captain Amundsen to the audience which will attend his lecture at the Scottish Rite Auditorium tomorrow.

LES DITRICHSTEIN  
TO BE SEEN HERE  
IN 'THE CONCERT'

LEO DITRACHSTEIN.

"The Concert," one of the season's most brilliant attractions, will be seen at the Macdonough theater for four evening performances and a Wednesday matinee, beginning tonight.

"The Concert" is a masterpiece of comedy, staged and presented under the personal direction of David Belasco. It is the medium which brings here for the first time Leo Ditrachstein, an actor of distinction. In addition to being a player of great artistic skill, Ditrachstein is a playwright. He adapted "The Concert" for the American stage and will be judged, on his appearance here both as an actor and a dramatist when he appears in the role of a great musician.

Belasco has surrounded Ditrachstein with an excellent cast, the chief player being Isabel Irving.

FUND CAMPAIGN  
WILL BE RENEWED

Trinity Episcopal Community Center Requires \$7500 More Toward \$25,000 Fund.

With the season of Lent at a close the campaign to secure funds to build a community center at Trinity Episcopal church, Twenty-ninth street and Telegraph avenue, will be renewed with vigor, according to Rev. Clifton Macon, the rector.

Of the \$25,000 which the workers want \$17,500 has been secured. Recruits have volunteered for the new districts and those who have taken part feel assured that they are not going to find the last rally difficult. Wednesday, March 26, is the day set to begin the work.

EASTER SERVICES ARE  
HELD ON MOUNTAIN TOP

RIVERSIDE, March 24.—Three thousand people made a pilgrimage up the slopes of Mount Robidoux before sunrise yesterday morning to witness one of the most impressive Easter services ever given in California.

On the rock-filled peak of this majestic mountain the church steeple stood and listened to divine singing as the sun arose in the East. Half up to the summit the voyagers were greeted by the song, "Christ Arose," issued from the silver throats of twelve Indian maidens of the Sherman Institute, who were hidden behind a huge boulder. At 6:00, just as the sun arose, "The Holy City" issued from a cornet played by Gustav Hilverku.

The services were led by the Rev. J. D. Van Arin, pastor of the First Methodist Church, the huge audience reciting the Lord's prayer in unison.



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FINDS PROOF HOW  
WORLDS ARE MADE

Astronomer at Flagstaff Observatory Finds Nebula Consists of Star Dust.

CHICAGO, March 24.—Important details of recent discoveries concerning the nebular hypothesis of solar systems by Dr. V. D. Slipsar, of the Lowell observatory, Flagstaff, Ariz., were made known here tonight on the arrival of Professor Percival Lowell on his way to New York. The nebular theory of Leplace which in recent years has been somewhat discredited in certain astronomical quarters, received a strong corroboration, according to a statement issued from observations at Flagstaff, which show that numerous nebulae shine by reflected light.

Observers at Lowell observatory have established the fact that the nebula consist of clouds of star dust enveloped in gas.

"This is the first step in the evolution of a solar system," Professor Lowell's statement reads. The statement follows:

"It has been discovered that the nebula in the Pleiades is illuminated by reflected light of the neighboring stars and that this nebula is in reality a cloud of finely divided matter such as the investigation of Sir Norman Lockyer, Sir George Darwin and Professor Hugo Zeidler, led them to suppose might exist in space.

CROWD PREVENTS A  
SUFFRAGE MEETING

Rowdy Youths Gather in London Armed With Missiles.

LONDON, March 24.—A great crowd of youths armed with various kinds of missiles, tin whistles, mouth organs and bells gathered in Hyde Park yesterday, prepared to repeat the suffragette attempt to hold their regular Sunday meeting.

The women, however, wisely refrained, but the crowd, out for trouble in any event, spent the afternoon in bustling about the park and endeavoring to be sympathizers with the suffragette movement. The police had been advised that the meeting would be held and a strong force patrolled the park and adjoining streets. The crowd finally became weary and dispersed. An officer who has had long experience in handling mobs said that it was a good thing the women did not appear, as the men were in angry moods because of the burning of the fine country residence of Lady Amy White, widow of Field Marshal Sir George C. White, the hero of Lady-smith.

SIMPLIFIED SPELLERS  
JUGGLE DICTIONARY

NEW YORK, March 24.—The simplified spelling board issued yesterday its fourth list of words to appear in new-fashioned orthography. Approximately 1000 words are shortened or changed in spelling.

Some of the changes are: Dropping the silent h in such words as chaos and channel; dropping the final k in words like hammock; changing heart and hearth to hart and harth; dropping the silent e in money and similar words; substituting far for laugh and cof for cough; dropping the final t in words like words; substituting nee for knee and nicknac for nickname; changing pranced to pranst; and other words ending with need to nst.

The word touch is spelled tuch; serious is changed to scrilus; blew is spelled blew; below is changed to belo; forced to forst; phantom to fantom; handsome to handsum; boss to bos; glue to glu and wretch to retch.

TORPEDO UNDER TRAIN  
BLACKMAIL WARNING

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 24.—After threats had been made of dynamite, a "dozen passenger trains" if demanded \$10,000 were not answered, the threatener exploded a torpedo beneath a Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie train as it left the city.

The writer of the letter declared that he and his five accomplices "meant business" and would place a torpedo on the track last night to prove it. One train, which was slowly through North St. Paul, flanked on each side by detectives and special guards. After it had passed two switches, at which three times in the last six weeks the train had been wrecked, the detectives were taken aboard and the train began its run at high speed. Two explosions occurred.

REV. COWLEY-CARROLL  
GUARDED BY OFFICERS

ROSS, March 24.—Rev. Hubert Cowley-Carroll, pastor of St. John's Episcopal Church, whose controversy with Mrs. J. Fields, one of his parishioners, is the subject of an ecclesiastical inquiry by the Bishop of Chicago, preached what he termed a "personal sermon" to the largest congregation that ever attended the small and exclusive St. John's edifice.

As a precautionary measure against a possible visit from Mrs. Fields, from whom he says, he fears personal violence, the church altar, Rev. Mr. Carroll stationed several officers in the vicinity of the building. The vestrymen of the church, present at the service, were also on hand to prevent the woman gaining entrance to the meeting.

CENTENARIAN TELLS  
SECRET OF LONGEVITY

NEW YORK, March 24.—Charles Winder of Sparkhill, N. Y., celebrated his one hundred and second anniversary of his birth at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Craster, with whom he lives.

He was born in Retlin in 1811, and came to the United States in 1834. "Smoke mild tobacco, drink a little if you wish, don't worry; don't get excited, and you will live as long as I have," was the old man's cheery comment.

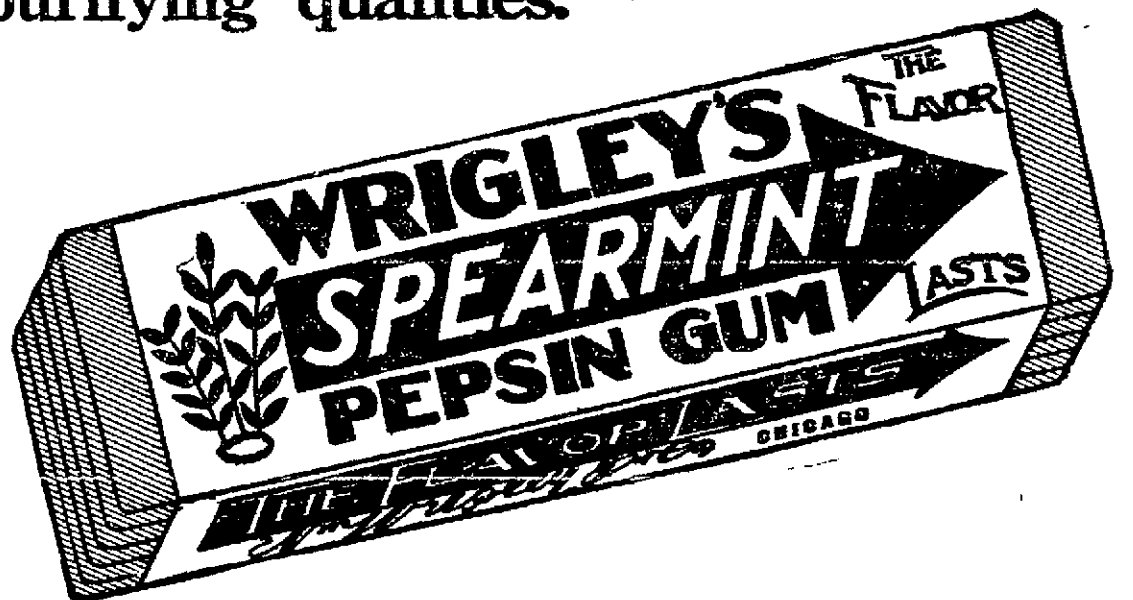
VISIT PARENTS IN PARIS.

PARIS, March 24.—The Countess Granard has arrived in Paris to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien, who has purchased a French capital.

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CARR MEASURE IS  
DECRIED BY SHOUP

Warning Sounded That Railroad Extension in State Will Stop.

LOS ANGELES, March 24.—Representatives of every electric railway company in the State are on their way to Sacramento to appear before the Senate committee tonight in an effort to show what will be the effect on railway extensions if Senator Carr's bill, No. 773, now up for consideration, becomes a law. It is claimed this bill will stop the opening of new territory through railway extensions.

Paul Shoup, president of the Pacific Electric, sent the following telegram from New York to be read before the Senate Committee:

"I am entirely convinced the bill will put an immediate stop to electric railway extensions in California, because money, which is in strong demand, cannot be secured for that form of investment. Even as conditions are now it is going to be quite difficult to proceed with our work, as public interest in electric railway investments is not increasing."

## MEMORIAL TO DEAD KING.

SALE LAKE CITY, March 24.—Memorial services for the late King George of Greece were held in the Greek Orthodox church here yesterday and were attended by Greeks from every section of the state. A message of condolence was sent to Queen Olga.

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'SAVE THE BABIES' IS  
ORGANIZATION'S MOTTO

NEW YORK, March 24.—"Save the babies" will be the motto of the organizations affiliated in the Babies Welfare Association taking part in the coming campaign for a "spring clean up" of New York City. Societies conducting milk stations, day nurseries, babies hospitals and other institutions and movements working for infant welfare are to take part in the preliminary campaign of education now starting. It was announced, saying special emphasis on the need of clean homes and surroundings as a prime requisite for promoting the health of babies.

MAYOR TAKES MILLIONS  
OF GERMS IN SYSTEM

DENVER, March 24.—Mayor Henry J. Arnold has been inoculated with 5,000,000 dead typhoid fever germs. Ten days hence he will receive one million more, and ten days later another billion will be shot into his system. This is all in accord with the city's plan to eliminate typhoid fever. The city health authorities are doing the inoculation, and Dr. J. W. Perkins, city physician, believes patients receiving the injections will become immune forever from typhoid fever.

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